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4 Israelis break off Warsaw visit today

WARSAW (Reuter). — Four Israel officials are quitting ceremonies marking the 40th anniversary of the Warsaw Ghetto uprising and flying home in protest against PLO participation, one of them said yesterday.

David Rivlin, of the Israel Foreign Ministry's cultural-relations department, said he and Tel Aviv Mayor Shlomo Lahat, Avner Shalev of the Education and Culture Ministry (delegation head) and Haim Kubersky, director-general of the Interior Ministry, will leave today after lodging a protest with the Polish authorities.

The head of the PLO mission in Warsaw, Fuad Yaseen, joined other accredited diplomats and laid a wreath at a memorial commemorating ghetto victims on Tuesday.

About 300 Israelis are among up to 1,000 Jews who came to mark the anniversary with a programme of events this week.

Rivlin said 10 writers and artists with the Israeli delegation are remaining in Poland, but will not take part in the official programme. The rest of the Israelis were intending to carry on, starting with a visit to the site of the Treblinka death camp.

Rivlin said they had submitted a request to officials had been in contact with the Israel government, but the decision to pull out had been taken here.

Rivlin said they had sumbitted a written protest to the government expressing their appreciation for the welcome given here and the opportunity to take part in the ceremonies but saying that PLO participation was offensive.

Earlier, Lahat said he felt betrayed by the head of the Polish organizing committee, who had not included the PLO in a list of missions asked to lay a wreath at the monument.

"There was big applause when he read that list because we assumed it meant the PLO would not be there," he said. The authorities insisted the wreath-laying ceremony

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Former chief of staff Rafael Eitan enjoys his first full day out of uniform yesterday in his carpentry shop in his home at Moshav Tel Adashim. Story on page 3. (IPPA)

Haddad forces to start replacing IDF in south

By HIRSH GOODMAN
Post Defence Correspondent

Major Sa'ad Haddad's army will be declared fully operational within the next two weeks, and will start replacing Israel Defence Force units in Southern Lebanon, *The Jerusalem Post* learns.

Until now Haddad's forces have confined themselves in South Lebanon to inducting volunteers, carrying out highly visible military tasks of marginal operational value, and manning roadblocks.

Since late last year, however, Haddad's estimated 1,500 men have been undergoing intensive training in Israel and South Lebanon. At the same time, his units have been organized into integral battalions, along the lines of a regular Lebanese Army brigade.

To this end a command structure almost identical to that of a Lebanese brigade has been established, including logistics' chain-of-command and support services. Since a Lebanese brigade comprises about 3,000 men — almost double the number of men Haddad has under arms — a skeleton brigade has been established, with Haddad's men holding most of the key positions.

The goal is to add regular Lebanese personnel to the skeleton brigade once a security agreement is worked out by Lebanon, Israel and the U.S., leaving Haddad's men in control of what for all intents and purposes will be a regular brigade in the Lebanese Army.

By the first week of May, Haddad's forces will gradually start replacing IDF units in South Lebanon, allowing Israel to lessen its reserve-duty burden. This will entail manning positions, regular patrols and other duties performed by the IDF in the south. Until now Haddad's forces have worked in tandem with IDF forces, but never independently.

Haddad has one battalion deployed in Sidon, most of his forces unemployed, and another skeleton battalion in towns and villages bordering the Bekaa in southeastern Lebanon. The training and organization of his forces, supervised by the IDF, has been going on for almost six months. They were supposed to have been declared operational four weeks ago, but the decision to do so was postponed until early May.

In addition to the 1,500 men he has on active service, it is believed that Haddad can call up around 2,000 reserves in time of emergency. The military standard of the reservists, however, is said to be poor.

Declaring Haddad's forces operational has a two-fold purpose: to free Israeli troops wherever possible, and to lay the groundwork for an integral battalion with a command structure that Israel feels it can rely on after the IDF withdraws.

Valesa backs May Day demonstrations by workers

GDANSK. — Solidarity chief Lech Walesa said yesterday that Polish workers have the right to celebrate May Day as they wish, despite a government warning that a call for demonstrations jeopardizes Pope John Paul II's scheduled visit to Poland.

"I am a worker," Walesa told a news conference at his apartment in the Baltic port of Gdansk. "I will celebrate May Day in a workingman's way, but now I cannot tell you exactly how."

Walesa was addressing his first news conference in five months as official communications media added those proposing unofficial rallies "fanatics of struggle against socialism."

He accused the authorities of arrogance and a lack of good will in not meeting him for talks as leader of Solidarity, which was formally dissolved a month before he was released from internment last November.

"I will still try the road of conciliation, but if that fails, I will be forced to change tactics," he said without elaborating.

An official at the government press office said there was no immediate response to Walesa's proposal for talks. But he reaffirmed the official view that the former Solidarity chief was now only a private citizen.

(AP, Reuter)

Arens briefs MKs on Syrian military moves

By ASHER WALLFISH
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

Defence Minister Moshe Arens said yesterday that "certain military preparations are under way in Syria, but it is not clear to us whether they are offensive or defensive in nature."

Briefing the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee, Arens said the military activity in question might be "a preparation for war" but might also reflect Syrian apprehension "of an Israeli operation."

The minister revealed that 4,000 Soviet technicians are stationed in Syria, where there had been 2,500 of them before the Lebanon operation started last June.

Arens said: "The Soviet Union is trying to rebuild and re-equip the Syrian army. But we have no way of knowing whether the Soviet Union has the wish or the power to keep the Syrians on a leash."

Mapam leader Victor Shemtov urged Arens to see that Syria has all possible assurances that Israel does not intend to attack.

Hirsh Goodman adds:

Israel is increasingly perturbed by the signs of military activity in Syria, including troop exercises.

The Israel Defence Forces have been instructed to follow events closely.

Analysts agreed with Arens last night that it is not clear whether the

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Begin to Jabotinsky movement veterans

'Israeli law on Golan — always'

By SARAH HONIG
Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Prime Minister Menachem Begin declared yesterday that the "Golan Heights are under Israeli law and will continue to be so always." This is seen as a reply to American President Ronald Reagan's "clarifications" a few days ago urging negotiations on Israeli withdrawal from the Golan.

Begin spoke yesterday to a convention of veterans of the Jabotinsky movement at Metzudat Ze'ev. The Reagan clarifications were sent to Syrian President Hafez Assad in a letter earlier this week.

Begin reminded his audience that the heights "came under Israeli law about a year-and-a-half ago. They still are under that law and will continue to be under our law. Nothing can change that."

Begin also rejected any suggestions of an Israeli freeze on settlements. "It is imaginary to expect the government of the Jewish state to decree that Jews cannot settle in certain areas. They can live with Arabs in Jaffa and in Haifa and Lod and Ramle, and anywhere in the world. So how can we be expected to declare that they are forbidden to settle in the desolate wasteland in Judea, Samaria and Gaza? We have not accepted and never shall accept such demands. The Jabotinsky movement never urged the expulsion of Arabs — we always sought co-existence and mutual respect with them and that is still our goal," he said.

Begin went on: "We have and will continue to have difficulties in our relations with the U.S., but difficulties can be overcome. The essence of our national rebirth cannot, however, be given up."

Begin noted recent opinion polls that "show that the people are behind us in this policy. We have a large majority of the population of this country supporting our views. If Jews had been forbidden to settle in parts of Eretz Yisrael, there would never have been an implementation of Zionism and the Jewish state would never have come into being," Begin argued.

He invited "any Arab leader who so wishes to join the peace negotiations — but without prior conditions. Negotiations must be based on the Camp David document already worked out."

Indirectly chiding the U.S., Begin said: "Documents once signed must be adhered to. Israel has shown that it is willing to make the most painful and far-reaching concessions for peace — as it had at Camp David. But those who signed the agreement have to keep their part of the bargain — those who signed as parties to the accord, and the U.S. as a witness."

Begin said he hopes an agreement on Lebanon will soon be negotiated, "but we will insist that the conditions which made possible aggression from Lebanon against our civilians are never recreated. We must not yield on this point."

He ended by warning his audience of "the really awesome tests still facing this nation in all spheres of life."

Knesset panel to investigate freeze' on the canal project

Post Knesset Correspondent

The Knesset State Control Committee will meet shortly to discuss the quarrel between the Finance and the Energy Ministries about the alleged freeze on the Mediterranean-Dead Sea Canal scheme.

Committee chairman Avraham Katz-Oz announced yesterday that he will try to ascertain the facts behind the allegations, and will invite Energy Minister Yitzhak Moda'i to explain his charges that the Treasury is undermining national development projects.

Katz-Oz said he will also ask State Comptroller Yitzhak Tunik to verify whether funds raised in the U.S. for the express purpose of building the Arad have indeed been spent on other projects, as Moda'i alleged. "This will be extremely grave if it is true," Katz-Oz said. "It will go utterly to all the hallowed principles of sound financial administration."

A group of American Jewish fundraisers visiting the Knesset yesterday, told reporters that the small number of highly motivated American Jews who bought Israel Bonds for the canal, above their customary annual Bonds portfolios, will react "most negatively" if it is true that the money went to something else.

They said that Bonds buyers who count most will be disillusioned and will be deterred from taking part in special campaigns in future.

Finance Minister Yoram Aridor, who is abroad, got support last night from his stand-in, Industry and Trade Minister Gideon Patt, in the Aridor-Moda'i argument.

Patt told a Kol Yisrael radio reporter: "Moda'i publicizes fancy development projects that cost absurdly large sums of money and which in many cases could never get off the ground."

Unilateral withdrawal as last resort

By HIRSH GOODMAN
Post Defence Correspondent

Israel is considering unilateral withdrawal to a 45-kilometre line north of the Israeli border in Lebanon, but only as a last resort.

This would, in effect, achieve one of the primary goals of the Lebanon operation: peace for Galilee, and a virtual guarantee that the PLO will never again be in a position to rebuild the infrastructure the organization had on Israel's northern border.

But this is the worst of Israel's options, for it would mean the continued deployment of the Israel Defence Forces in South Lebanon, since the forces of Major Sa'ad Haddad apparently are not able to handle the task alone.

The option is being considered, however, and will be taken if it becomes clear that consensus on Israel's needs at the Lebanese-Israeli-American negotiating table has become impossible.

3 soldiers wounded

Three IDF soldiers were lightly wounded late laste night in an exchange of artillery fire between Christian and Druse militias near Bhamdoun on the Beirut-Damascus road, the Israel Defence Forces spokesman announced.

Israel-Lebanon pact near but still quite far

By Post Diplomatic Correspondent

The clinching of the Israel-Lebanon accord, though tantalizingly near, is not quite at hand. It still requires, according to several negotiators, a fortnight or so of polishing up the texts — and a final narrowing of the gap on the Haddad issue and another one or two unresolved problems.

These final steps, ths negotiators believe, will have to be taken by the top leaderships of the two countries.

The work pattern of the lower-level negotiators — they convene again in Halde this morning and hope to meet four times next week — is to focus on the lesser problems of drafting, and, when this is all wrapped up, to present the unresolved bigger issues to the leaders for their decision.

U.S. special envoy Philip Habib discussed the Haddad issue again with Israel's Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir yesterday, and then flew to Beirut for talks with Lebanon's President Amin Jemayel.

Israeli sources made a point of stressing "how far the Lebanese have come" on the question of Haddad. The original, and long-maintained, Lebanese position was that they would not countenance the continued presence of the Christian militia leader in the south at all. Now, say the Israeli sources, the Lebanese are prepared to agree to Haddad's holding a "command position" in the proposed "territorial brigade" of the Lebanese Army that is to be deployed in the south.

The area of dispute has been narrowed down to whether he is to be one of the commanders in the brigade, or its sole or chief commander. Israel is holding out for the latter.

Shamir contended in his conversation with Habib yesterday that the bomb attack on the American embassy in Beirut on Sunday had underscored the validity of Israel's careful demands for adequate and reliable security arrangements in the southern border zone. Shamir predicted that all kinds of anti-peace groups in Lebanon and outside will do their utmost to foil the evolving Israel-Lebanon agreement. Hence the need for a strong South Lebanese security force, and hence the need for Haddad to head it.

Shamir offered his warm and profound congratulations and sense of relief to Habib at the envoy's narrow escape from death in the embassy bombing.



AGAM'S ALPHABET. Already famous for his kinetic works of art, Yaacov Agam has turned his attention to learning. He explains his method of increasing the intelligence of children to Judy Siegel-Itzkovich.

HASHEMITES AND HUSSEINIS. Daniel Dishon explores the up-and-down Jordan-PLO relationship, and puts the two's latest 'break' in its proper context.

OLD PART OF TOWN. Michal Yudelman tells why she's fond of the centre of Tel Aviv.

AND MORE. Richard Oestermann takes a pre-anniversary trip to Sinai. Philip Gillon skips part of the Independence Day TV schedule. David Richardson visits a curfewed refugee camp. Dan Feinaru sees a new movie. Yosef Tekoah, Shmuel Katz and David Bernstein analyse today's issues. Haim Shapiro has a fearless feast of fungi. Pinhas Peli asks: "Where was God during the Holocaust?" Joan Borsten meets the *Fame* kids. And a Friday Dry Bones.

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Levy visits IDF units near Beirut

METULLA (Itim). — Chief of Staff Rav-Aluf Moshe Levy yesterday visited Israeli units deployed near Beirut and reviewed security measures in the light of the weekend bombing of the U.S. embassy in the Lebanese capital.

Israel Defence Forces sources told Itim that the IDF is already acting on the lessons learned from the attack, to tighten security at IDF installations.

The IDF has also intensified its supervision at the crossing points, at Jib Jenin and Sofar from Syrian-held parts of Lebanon to the Israeli-held parts. Israel fears infiltration into its zone by Iranian terrorists, who are based in Baalbek, in northern Lebanon.

Major Sa'ad Haddad's militiamen have also been cautioned to keep their eyes open.

Rabin against unilateral Lebanon pullout

Jerusalem Post Reporter

NAHALAT YITZHAK SHMONA. — Labour Knesset Member Yitzhak Rabin told kibbutz movement leaders yesterday that he opposes a unilateral Israeli withdrawal from Lebanon, because "we have not yet achieved the measure of security which settlements need."

Speaking to a conference of senior members of the United Kibbutz Movement at Kibbutz Ein Shemer, Rabin said the negotiations with Lebanon have not yielded all the results they can for Israel.

"If it appears that the talks have bogged down hopelessly, then we should fall back from the Shouf Mountains to a line 45 kilometres from our northern settlements, and tell the Lebanese to bust their own heads on the problem," said Rabin.

Withdrawal without prior security arrangements means Katyusha rockets falling on our settlements in the north, he concluded.

Teachers resuming sanctions to press for Etzioni action

By LEA LEVAVI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Schools will open at 9 a.m. instead of 8 a.m. on Sunday, and beginning today teachers will not take the places of colleagues who are at home, sick. The two teachers' unions — the Histadrut Teachers Union and the Secondary School Teachers Association — decided on these steps yesterday to protest against the government's failure to start implementing the Etzioni Commission recommendations.

Education and Culture Minister Zevulun Hammer was due to meet the heads of the unions today in an effort to avert the planned sanctions. Hammer will meet Finance Minister Yoram Aridor at the beginning of next week to discuss the implementation of the Etzioni recommendations.

At a negotiating session last Thursday, the teachers said that the government representatives were ready to talk only about marginal issues, such as incentives for teachers working in development towns or slums, but had no proposals on raising teachers' salaries, lowering class size, building new classrooms and other Etzioni recommendations the teachers consider urgent. Another negotiating session had been scheduled for yesterday, and the government representatives had promised to come to that session with a clear timetable for implementing the recommendations. But the meeting was cancelled because of disagreements between the Finance Ministry and the Education and Culture Ministry.

Amnon Abramson, secretary-general of the Histadrut Teachers Union, said both unions are ready to negotiate with the government at any time. He said, however, that sanctions will continue, and will be stepped up, for "as long as delaying tactics prevent genuine bargaining."

American scientists discover 'star dust'

CHICAGO (AP). — University of Chicago scientists say the first grains of pure "star dust" from outside the solar system have been found in samples from a meteorite that landed in Australia more than 13 years ago.

Smaller than fine dust particles, tiny grains of a unique form of carbon were identified from substances found embedded in the Murchison meteorite, which fell in the Australian state of Victoria on September 28, 1969.

"Basically it is star dust," said Edward Anders," a chemistry professor whose specialty is identifying unusual chemicals from outer space.

The dust will give scientists more clues about the types of elements that formed the solar system, Anders said.

"The striking thing is that it is something from outside our solar system — a different world — and if we are clever enough we can learn a lot about its history," he said.

The university reported the findings this week, to coincide with an article on the subject in the April 22 issue of *Science* magazine.

The star dust occurred in concentrations of only five parts per million in the meteorite that scientists did not discover until 1978, Anders said in a telephone interview on Tuesday.

"We thought our instruments had gone haywire," he recalled. "But the pattern we saw ... pointed clearly to an origin in a red giant, which is a sun on its last legs, in the last 10 per cent of its life."

Anders and Roy Lewis, a senior research associate, found that the carbonaceous meteorite contained a rare isotope of the gas xenon. Since this variety of xenon breeds in red gaint stars, it is the first clue that the meteorite held a more precious cargo, he said.

Upon their tentative discovery of the star dust, university scientists sent samples of the grain to Cambridge University in England, one of the few institutions that can test for rare carbon isotopes.

Scientists there found the grains contained twice the amount of carbon 13 that exists anywhere else except in dust blown off red giants.

"This is the first pure star dust — it will help us understand the stars," Anders said. "In the telescope you can't get any closer than 50 light years."

The dust particles are considerably older than the solar system and probably were picked up by the meteor as they drifted nearby sometime during the formation of the sun and planets about 4.5 billion years ago, he said.

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

South African Ambassador David de Villiers du Buisson and his wife yesterday visited Bar-Ilan University.

The Rose and Norman Lederer Chair in Experimental Biology was dedicated yesterday at Tel Aviv University. The incumbent of the chair is Professor Elazar Kochba.

The Kaminitz Prize in Agriculture was awarded yesterday to Weizmann Institute Professor Mordhay Avron; the Kaminitz Prize in Electronics to Weizmann Institute Professor David Treves.

They were congratulated by Mr. Armando Kaminitz, who established these prizes. Also present at the ceremony were Mrs. Vera Kaminitz and their son Dr. Paul Kaminitz. Prof. Michael Sela. President of the Weizmann Institute, presided over the ceremony.

The William B. Ingram and Esther A. Ingram Scholarship Fund, to benefit students at Tel Aviv University, was inaugurated last night at a dinner held at the Tel Aviv Hilton. Guest of Honour was Industry and Commerce Minister Gideon Patt.

The Eliahu and Zehava Elath Room was dedicated yesterday in the Institute for Advanced Studies Building on the Hebrew University's Givat Ram campus. The room will hold Elath's papers.

The Orient Lloyd family last night celebrated its 50th anniversary with a festive dinner party at the Hilton, Tel Aviv.

Knesset Speaker Menahem Savidor will address the Rotary Club at the Tel Aviv Hilton at 1:15 p.m. today.

DEPARTURES

World Wizo Executive Chairman Ruth Izakson, for Australia, as guest of honour of Wizo Australia's 1983 Inter-State Conference.

Reagan feels free to pressure Israel—Pattir

By LEA LEVAVI
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Reagan administration feels freer than its predecessors to exert direct pressure on Israel without fearing high political costs. Dan Pattir, former media adviser to Prime Ministers Yitzhak Rabin and Menachem Begin and now a researcher at Georgetown University, said during a symposium on Israel-U.S. relations at Tel Aviv University yesterday.

But Dr. Harvey Sichermann, consultant to the U.S. secretary of the navy and special assistant to Alexander Haig when he was secretary of state, said prospects are good that Israel will see Reagan's policy change in its favour in the next two years. In the past, however, Sicherman admitted, a "perfectly well-disposed Reagan" found his sympathies thwarted by several events over which he had no control — the campaign against the sale of AWAC planes to Saudi Arabia, the raid on the nuclear reactor in Iraq, the annexation of the Golan Heights and the Lebanon war.

Under the Carter administration, said Pattir, the general rule was indirect pressure applied through the news media. For example, when Rabin visited the U.S. in March, 1977, there were leaks to the American press to the effect that Rabin was intransigent.

On a subsequent Begin visit to Washington, Carter summed up the Israeli view, after a particularly tough bargaining session, in the most negative way.

Reagan feels freer to exert direct pressure such as holding back arms deliveries and criticizing Israel publicly, Pattir said.

He asserted that in his view, Israel has recouped the losses in American public opinion caused by the war in Lebanon but is still vulnerable. He criticized Israel's information effort as being too slow and not always credible.

He said the foreign news media committed many professional sins in covering the war in Lebanon. "But it is not a matter of an anti-Israel or pro-Israel bias. The editors back in New York and Washington simply did not know how to balance the abundant material they were getting from both sides."

Deputy Foreign Minister Yehuda Ben-Meir told the symposium that Israel will not repeat in Judea, Samaria and the Gaza District what it did in Sinai.

He said: "We want King Hussein to come to the negotiating table, but not as an agent of Arafat. We want him to negotiate as a free agent for Jordan."

Ben-Meir said that since 1967, there has been a basic difference of opinion between Israel and the U.S., on the solution to the Israel-Arab conflict.

U.S. policy, he said, is "territories in exchange for peace," while the national consensus in Israel is "peace in return for peace." *plus some sort of compromise.*

He said that the idea of territorial compromise has been rejected by the Arabs and is becoming less tenable with each day because of the settlements. He added that the Jewish settlements will never be put under Arab sovereignty. Sinai was returned to Egypt, he said, because of the nature of that territory, which is different from the territories Israel holds.

Ben-Meir said relations between the U.S. and Israel have improved if viewed over the period since Israel's independence, and the relationship is strong enough to withstand shocks caused by differences. It is based, he said, on a common concern for defending the free world.

Speaking at the symposium on Tuesday, Labour Party Chairman Shimon Peres said that a decision on the future of Major Sa'ad Haddad in South Lebanon should be put off for a year to speed an agreement on the withdrawal of foreign forces from Lebanon.

Two PLO factions denounce plan for Arab summit in Fez

DAMASCUS (AP). — Two Syrian-backed Palestinian factions yesterday rejected a call for an Arab summit conference to discuss giving King Hussein of Jordan a mandate to negotiate with Israel on behalf of the Palestinians.

George Habash's Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine and Nayef Hawatmeh's Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine announced their stand in a joint communique issued in Damascus just before the PLO's policy-making body, the 15-member executive committee, was scheduled to hold a meeting yesterday evening in Tunisia.

The two factions said the call for a conference "is an invitation to Arab reactionaries to abandon the resolutions of previous Arab summits on national rights and the sole representation of the PLO for the Palestinian people."

The statement said the summit would bring the Arab world into "an American plot" designed to "liquidate the Palestinian cause."

The summit, postponed once and now tentatively rescheduled for May in Fez, Morocco, is expected to tackle the sensitive issue of an Arab mandate for Hussein to speak on behalf of the Palestinians in the U.S.-sponsored peace process.

Hussein suspended talks with PLO chief Yasser Arafat on the issue of Palestinian representation after reported pressures on the terrorist leader from radical factions within the PLO and hardline Arab states, mainly Syria.

Plans to help ex-prisoners thwarted by municipalities

By MICHAL YUDELMAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

RAMLE. — Plans to build ten rehabilitation hostels for released prisoners have been shattered by the refusal of every local authority in Israel to grant them planning permission.

The first hostel, expected to *operate in Ness Ziona, cannot* be opened, because the municipality says it does not want prisoners in the area, said Prisons Commissioner Dr. Mordechai Wertheimer.

He was speaking at the conclusion of a tour of Ramle prison with Knesset Speaker Menachem Savidor and Interior Ministry Police Department head Ya'akov Markowitz.

About 2,500 prisoners are released every year but most of them are not accepted by society and 60 per cent return to prison, where the rehabilitation services *cannot cope with them, Wertheimer* said. He added that more than 70 per cent of prison inmates use drugs and receive drug substitutes, in addition to the 500 to 700 drug addicts treated in Ramle prison's centre for the rehabilitation of drug addicts.

Under the existing penal code, many persons who should not be in prison are locked up in cells, costing the country IS500,000 each and aggravating the crowded prison conditions, Wertheimer added.

"Society puts much hope in imprisonment as a means to mend a criminal's ways," Markowitz said *after the tour.* "But *in reality,* prison does not solve any problem. Unfortunately we have no other penal code, as they do in Europe, and there is no institutionalized system of legislation for prisons."

Savidor also toured Neve Tirza, Ramle prison's women's quarters, which houses about 90 women prisoners, 30 of whom were convicted of terrorist crimes. The Ramle prison complex houses some 2,700 inmates. Most of the inmates in Neve Tirza — Israel's only women's prison — are young women, convicted on drug and prostitution charges, Director Ra'aya Epstein said.

Epstein explained that most young convicts embark on prostitution and even burglary in order to pay for the heroin they have become addicted to.

Arens: Haddad indispensable

Jerusalem Post Reporter

An international force is no substitute for Major Sa'ad Haddad's militias in helping Israel defend its northern border against terrorists, Defence Minister Moshe Arens insisted yesterday.

Rejecting a charge by Labour dove Yosef Sarid in the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee that Israel is unnecessarily stubborn in demanding a top role for Haddad, when an international force could guard the border more effectively, Arens said: "Our experience in the past has been that international contingents lack motivation. Even if their men don't collaborate with the terrorists, they won't go out of their way to block them. Haddad's militia may not always prevail over the terrorists, but at least they have the will to thrust them back."

Arens also said that he had told U.S. special Middle East envoy *Philip Habib that "if the terrorists* come back to the South it will mean the end of Lebanon, but not the end of Israel, which will find ways of coping with their presence."

Asked about the position of the U.S. administration on the Reagan plan, Arens said that "the United States made an effort last year to promote ideas that would get Israel back to the 1967 borders. But today Washington appears to 'see the situation in a more realistic light."

The minister stressed the importance of American willingness to release know-how that will help Israel build the Lavi warplane, by unfreezing research regarding the engine, the wing construction, the tail assembly, and the flight-control systems.

Arens said in reply to a question that the American embargo applies only to the supply of F-16 warplanes.

In the discussion on Lebanon, Sarid said that the IDF is an untenable position. It either has to withdraw or to advance and strike at the Syrians. It cannot remain where it is, he said.

Benny Shalita (Likud-Liberals) said that although the IDF is suffering casualties in Lebanon, the alternative is for civilians to suffer casualties in Galilee.

Ehud Olmert (Likud-La'am) said that the only result of a unilateral IDF withdrawal in Lebanon will be to make the Syrian military presence there permanent.

IDF accuses Jibril of lying

Jerusalem Post Staff

The chief of the Israel Defence Forces' manpower branch, Aluf Moshe Nativ, and Arye Merinsky, Defency Ministry adviser in charge of Israeli prisoners-of-war, yesterday charged PLO splinter group leader Ahmed Jibril with lying in order to mislead public opinion about the negotiations to exchange Israeli and Palestinian prisoners.

Jibril, leader of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command, said in an interview on Austrian television recently that Israel has not responded to requests to prove that 47 members of his organization and the pro-Syrian Saika held by Israel are alive.

"Jibril's statement is nothing but another link in a chain of lies, whose purpose is to strain the nerves of the parents of the prisoners who fell into his hands," the Nativ-Merinsky statement said. Two Israeli soldiers are being held by Jibril's group, and the statement pointed out that Jibril has refused to let them be visited by the Red Cross "or even pass on a sign of life to prove they are alive and well."

Israel, the statement said, has responded to all of Jibril's requests, which were transmitted by neutral parties. "Jibril, on the other hand, keeps inventing imaginative demands" to boost his prestige in the PLO, it said.

Three Israeli soldiers are being held by the Syrians and six by the PLO. Israel is in continuous contact with the PLO through the offices of Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky on a possible prisoner exchange. Before this, however, Israel is demanding that Red Cross officials meet the two men held by Jibril.

Israel has permitted the Red Cross free access to the Ansar detention camp in South Lebanon, as well as a visit by an Austrian official to check on the whereabouts of men said by Jibril to be missing.

According to the Austrian television interviewer, the PLO is not pleased with the tactics taken by Jibril, which PLO insiders say is aimed at increasing his prestige.

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was not part of the official programme.

In an interview yesterday over Galei Zahal, the Israel Defence Forces radio, Shalev said the PLO action has aroused a great deal of anger and confusion in Poland. The authorities had a special interest in avoiding what happened, but the memorial is in the centre of the city and people gather there daily and anyone can lay a wreath there, Shalev explained. On the other hand, the government could have avoided this offence to our feelings if it had wished, he said. In the light of this, Shalev said he thought the reaction in Israel had been overdramatized. Asked whether he will recommend that Israeli delegations visit Poland to honour the dead, he said it is important to visit the sites of Jewish martyrdom, but not necessarily to participate in official Polish ceremonies.

In the German Federal Republic "*Die Welt*", the prestige newspaper of the Springer Group, yesterday reacted with outrage to the PLO laying a wreath at the memorial. While lunatics or — possible provocateurs — again and again defile Jewish monuments, the paper says, "no one would have believed it possible that a government — be it even a Communist one — could be so depraved as to stage an official desecration of a memorial."

One of the visitors, British Member of Parliament Greville Janner, said he deplored "anyone who tries to make political capital out of this intense grief — whether it's the PLO, Solidarity or the (Polish) government."

SPACE. — Three Soviet cosmonauts were launched into space yesterday aboard a Soyuz-T8 space vehicle.

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Syrian movements are offensive or defensive, but pointed to the danger in possible escalation generated by the dynamic of military movement, and to the danger of a misreading of intention by one or both of the parties.

The Idf has made no move that could have prompted the Syrian action.

Israeli spokesman, like Arens and Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir, have both officially stated that Israel has no intention of aggressive action against Syria. But, in one recent official statement Arens added that if conflict should break out, Israel will determine the conditions and the scale. His statement was obviously intended to convey the message that Israel has no intention of being drawn into a war of attrition with Syria, and that the Syrians should not have any illusions about a limited war remaining limited.

The minister's warning was issued despite the knowledge that the Soviet Union has increased its involvement in Syria's security, including the deployment of two SA-5 anti-aircraft missile sites manned exclusively by Soviet troops.

DEFENCE. — The French government yesterday proposed a five-year, 830-billion-franc (IS4.55 trillion) defence budget emphasising nuclear weapons.

Golan Druse mark Israeli independence

KIRYAT SHMONA. — Druse villages in the northern Golan Heights yesterday celebrated Israel's 35th Independence Day as part of a week of festivities devoted to Druse traditions.

Sixty Scouts from Hatzbaya South Lebanon participated in the festivities. They arrived in Israel on Sunday.

Treasury bars child allowance funds

The Treasury yesterday blocked the transfer of IS815 million to the National Insurance Institute meant for this month's payment of child allowances. The reason for the move, it said, is that the NII does not intend to obey a new law requiring it to stop paying the allowance exactly when a child becomes 18.

The NII reacted sharply to the Treasury announcement, accusing it of preventing the transfer of funds — for the second time within a year — which it is required by law to transfer. NII director-general Danny Azriel has sent a letter to Labour and Social Affairs Minister Aharon Uzan requesting his intervention.

Azriel said the NII has not had time to implement the law, passed by the Knesset last month. He said the soonest the NII computers can be reprogrammed to implement the law is May or June. He noted that the Treasury agreed after a similar blocking of funds six months ago not to do so again.

3 more bodies recovered from bombed U.S. embassy

BEIRUT. — Three more bodies were recovered from the bomb-blasted American Embassy in Beirut yesterday as a senior Lebanese minister accused Israel of exploiting the attack to keep its troops in Lebanon.

U.S. Ambassador Robert Dillon said 49 Americans and Lebanese Embassy employees were killed or missing presumed dead in the rubble of the mission, devastated by a suspected car bomb on Monday.

In Washington, the State Department said it has found no link between the terrorists who bombed the embassy and the PLO or any government, other than possibly Iran.

"As far as we can tell, they are not associated with the PLO or any other international group," undersecretary of state Lawrence Eagleburger said late Tuesday.

The Islamic Jihad organization, believed to be an underground group associated with Moslem Shi'ite fundamentalists in Lebanon, took responsibility for Monday's bombing.

"Our information is limited and we aren't sure they did it although they claimed credit," Eagleburger said.

Eagleburger said the group was a "splinter group" with ties to Iran.

Eagleburger and Nicholas Veliotes, assistant secretary of state for the Near East, were to fly to Lebanon yesterday to escort the bodies of the victims home to the U.S.

In Damascus, Syria's state-run radio accused Israel yesterday of blowing up the embassy to justify its demand for a military presence in Lebanon after the withdrawal of its army.

In its daily commentary, Damascus Radio said "Israel is behind the explosion of the U.S. Embassy in Beirut to support its intransigence in the current negotiations and to justify its demands for military, economic and political privileges in Lebanon."

Lebanese Foreign Minister Elie Salem charged yesterday that Israel is exploiting the blast, and said Lebanon cannot be held responsible for its own security until all foreign forces left the country.

Giving Lebanon's reaction to the attack at a press conference in Beirut, Salem said: It is unfortunate that Israel yesterday and today has exploited this tragedy to make a case for Israeli troops remaining in Lebanon."

Salem described the explosion as a "freak incident" that should not be allowed to mar the Lebanese Army's record in enforcing security in Beirut after years of lawlessness.

In Teheran, Iranian Prime Minister Hussein Musavi yesterday reiterated that his country was not involved. Musavi, quoted by the Iranian news agency, said the incident was the consequence of political and social tension in the region and the presence of "imperialist, imposed tyrant governments." (Reuter, AP)

U.S. House panel approves military package for Lebanon

WASHINGTON (AP). — The House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee on Tuesday approved $251 million in emergency aid for Lebanon, including a provision for increasing U.S. peacekeeping troops.

The package, approved on a unanimous voice vote, includes $150m. to repair war damage.

Included in the aid package, which still must be taken up by the full House are $100m. for military equipment and $1m. for military training to improve the Lebanese Army.

Also included was a provision worked out with the administration to cover the additional deployment of U.S. troops to an expanded peace-keeping force in the event foreign occupying powers withdraw.

The subcommittee had proposed requiring the administration to obtain congressional approval before sending in more troops, but the compromise removes the requirement that the authorization precede the deployment.

Meanwhile, UN Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar said in Oslo yesterday he would like to see the mandate of the UN Interim Force in Lebanon extended next July.

He also said UNIFIL forces should be furnished with "such terms of reference that will give them guarantee of not being brushed aside by other forces of military action."

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Baby survives 9-month food infusion

By LIORA MORIEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

BEERSHEBA. — A 10½-month-old baby has survived nine months of fluid food infusions without apparent signs of retardation, Professor Avraham Maresh, head of Soroka Hospital's pediatric surgery department, told reporters here yesterday.

"He is developing well despite his low weight. His psychomotoric performance is quite good," Maresh said.

Kfir Alkuslassi now weighs 4.1 kilograms and no longer receives his food intravenously. He is expected to be released from hospital shortly.

Kfir was admitted to Soroka at the age of three weeks, when his mother, Mazal, 24, noticed that his stomach was hard and that he was constantly constipated. Doctors diagnosed a dual congenital dysfunction of the small intestine. A large part of the intestine was knotted, causing a blood blockage, and a part of the intestine was doubled.

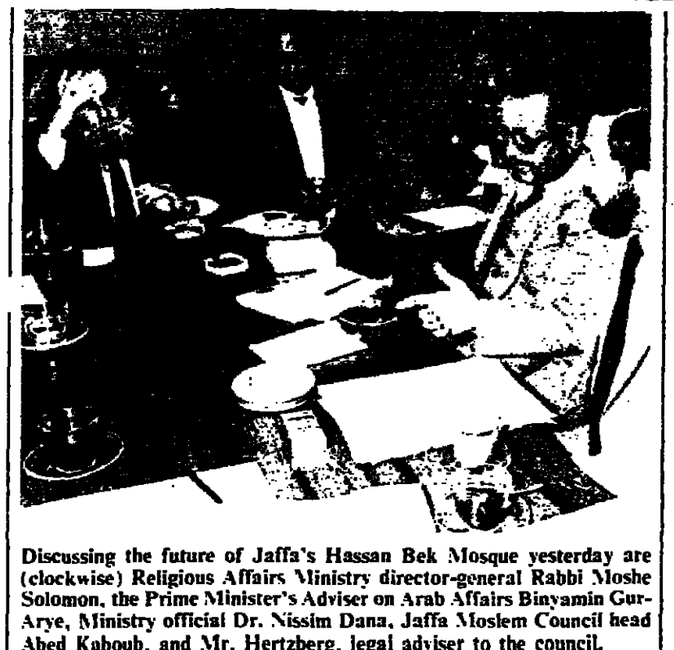
Kfir's small intestine was reduced to 30 centimetres in two major operations by the time he was six weeks old. "To my mind, the infant has the shortest small intestine at Soroka, and possibly in the whole country," Maresh said. A normal month-old baby's small intestine is 1.5 metres long, growing to as long as five metres at maturity.

It is possible to live without a large intestine, but not without the small intestine.

Another unusual factor in Kfir's case is that for over nine months he was fed exclusively by infusions. "This is one of the longest periods we have kept a baby alive without oral feeding," Maresh said. "Usually such fluid food intake lasts weeks, not months."

In 1967 Maresh was one of the first people in the world to develop these methods of intravenously giving infants and adults all their caloric intake.

Kfir was fully conscious throughout his hospitalization. Recently, he was allowed to spend the Pessah Seder evening and Independence Day with his family. He is an only child.



Discussing the future of Jaffa's Hassan Bek Mosque yesterday are (clockwise) Religious Affairs Ministry director-general Rabbi Moshe Solomon, the Prime Minister's Adviser on Arab Affairs Binyamin Gur-Arye, Ministry official Dr. Nissim Dana, Jaffa Moslem Council head Abed Kaboub, and Mr. Hertzberg, legal adviser to the council. (Rahamim Israeli)

Egyptian to be consulted on rebuilding Jaffa mosque

By HAIM SHAPIRO
Jerusalem Post Reporter

An Egyptian architect will be invited to participate in planning the reconstruction of the Hassan Bek mosque in Jaffa, which collapsed a fortnight ago, the interministerial committee dealing with the mosque decided yesterday.

The meeting's participants included representatives of Jaffa's Wakf (Moslem religious trust), Mahmoud Tabouni; the engineer assigned to plan the reconstruction; Religious Affairs Ministry director-general Moshe Solomon; Binyamin Gur-Arye, the Prime Minister's Adviser on Arab Affairs; and a representative of the Israel Lands Administration.

They decided to proceed with the planning, and to prepare the legal and administrative groundwork for the construction. The committee also decided to accept the offer of the Egyptian government to send an architect to help with the planning.

The Lands Administration representative announced that it has transferred administration of the property to the ministry. The ministry has said that with the completion of the project, the mosque will be turned over to the Wakf.

Signing of the contract between the government and the engineers is to take place within two weeks.

Burg suggests special police to control traffic

By AARON SITTNER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

The government should consider establishing a separate police force for traffic control, Interior Minister Yosef Burg said yesterday. He suggested this after hearing a report from the Police Advisory Council (PAC), a group of statisticians and other professionals frequently consulted by government agencies.

According to the council's report, there has been an alarming reversal in the progress recorded in the past decade in the campaign for road safety. For example, in the first three months of this year the nunber of road accidents rose by 6.5 per cent over the figure for the same period last year and the number of fatalities soared by 19 per cent.

The council noted that the annual total of road accidents had dropped from 15,303 in 1972 to 12,727 in 1982, despite the fact that the number of motor vehicles more than doubled in that period and only 70 kilometres of new roadway were built.

"It is ironic that after such progress we are faced with a setback in the first three months of this year," a council spokesman told *The Jerusalem Post*. "We cannot determine the cause, but the Lebanon war may have something to do with it. Historically, road accidents — like births and burglaries — increase here following a war."

In its report to Burg, the PAC noted that since the establishment of the state 35 years ago 13,927 persons have been killed in road accidents and 473,187 injured.

The council recommended that road safety be a permanent area of research in university behavioral-science departments.

MK reports no Arab land taken for Misgav project

By YOEL DAR
Jerusalem Post Reporter

NAZARETH. — Contrary to Arab allegations, the Interior Ministry has not expropriated any Arab land for the recent establishment of the Misgav regional council in Galilee, Knesset member Shoshana Arbeli-Amoslino, chairman of the Knesset Interior Committee said yesterday.

But she said that ministry planners made mistakes, concerning Arab property when the boundaries of the Misgav region were drawn up. These errors will be corrected within six weeks, she said, quoting ministry sources.

Arbeli-Amoslino (Alignment-Labour) made these statements here yesterday at the conclusion of a two-day tour of Jewish and Arab settlements in the area. She was visiting Galilee with members of the committee she heads.

She said that ministry officials have promised her that buildings and houses improperly included under Misgav's jurisdiction will be returned to Arab villages, especially to Deir al-Assad and Majd al-Kurum.

Majd al-Kurum local council chairman Mohammed Manah told the committee members that neither he nor his counterparts in other villages oppose rapid development of Galilee. But they do not wish this to be done at the expense of their villages. He added that Arab villages need the land that has been assigned to Misgav for development projects.

"You asked us why we are so bitter. Some 20 Arab villages in the Galilee with 90,000 inhabitants have only 70,000 dunams, while 2,000 inhabitants who are included in the Misgav area have 180,000 dunams," Manah said.

Northern District Representative Yisrael Koenig said that the Interior Ministry's planners do not distinguish between Jews and Arabs.

Communications rates raised by 5 per cent

Jerusalem Post Staff

The Knesset Finance Committee yesterday approved a 5 per cent rise in communications and electricity rates, effective from April 7.

Private telephone users will now pay IS1.85 per message unit, IS175 for the monthly service charge and IS6,080 to instal a phone. Public-phone tokens (*asimonim*) now cost IS2.20.

A local letter now costs IS2.30 to mail, a postcard IS1.90 and a telegram IS31. The recently introduced express mail service to the U.S. has been reduced to $25 for up to 500 grams, and $35 from 500 gm. to one kilo.

Communications Minister Mordechai Zipori yesterday asked the committee to approve a higher message-unit rate for inter-urban calls during peak hours, and also asked for a 50 per cent hike in the phone installation charge. The committee is to discuss these requests today.

Jail killer gets life

HEBRON (Itim). — The military court here yesterday sentenced a security prisoner, Mohammed Ibrahim Abu Ali, to life imprisonment after convicting him of the murder of his cellmate, Adel Abd al-Tal.

Two of the murderer's accomplices were sentenced to 14 and 16 year terms.

The murder was committed on July 16, 1981 in Hebron jail, after Abu Ali became suspicious that Abd al-Tal was working for the Israeli authorities.

Abu Ali strangled Abd al-Tal with a towel, but then, seeing that the victim was not quite dead, he slit his throat with a razor blade.

MKs get diplomas for Arabic studies

Jerusalem Post Reporter

An Arabic-language course organised by Ulpan Akiva in the Knesset three months ago was wound up on Tuesday with one day of intensive study that concluded with the presentation of diplomas.

The weekly lesson, attended by Knesset members, Knesset staff and interested civil servants, comprised over 90 pupils in five classes, including Speaker Menachem Savidor.

The teachers were Moslems, Druse and Jews from both Israel and the administered areas.

W. Germany to set up Buber foundation

Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON. — A Martin Buber Foundation to promote Jewish-Christian-Moslem understanding is to be established in the German Federal Republic with the backing of President Karl Carstens.

The foundation will work from Martin Buber House, in Heppenheim, which is the headquarters of the International Council of Christians and Jews. Lord Coggan, former archbishop of Canterbury and honorary president of the ICCJ, and Sir Sigmund Sternberg, chairman of its executive, were invited to Bonn by Carstens this week to discuss the foundation.

Carstens expressed "warm personal support" for the work being done by the council, "in combating misunderstanding and prejudice and in the the field of interfaith activities, especially where they relate to the human-rights activities of minority groups."

Also invited by Carstens was Rafael Buber, the philosopher's son, who came specially from Israel.

The Buber Foundation is to have close links with the Buber Centre for Adult and Continuing Education at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Man acquitted in protecting Swiss bank accounts

RAMAT GAN (Itim). — Israeli-Swiss businessman Yisrael Silberberg was acquitted in the local magistrates court yesterday of charges of obstructing justice in refusing to divulge the names of Israelis holding foreign-currency accounts in Switzerland.

Silberberg, an Israeli who lives in Switzerland and has Swiss nationality, was arrested last November with other persons suspected of complicity in a dollar-smuggling ring. Police found a coded list of 60 numbered Swiss bank accounts on Silberberg when they arrested him, but he refused to identify the account holders to the tax authorities.

The judge ruled that Silberberg was protected by Israeli law from incriminating himself before Swiss law, which provides strict penalties in the case of a Swiss citizen who betrays the confidence of Swiss banking laws. The Tel Aviv district attorney's office said yesterday it is considering appealing Silberberg's acquittal to the district court.

Kohl's visit to Israel a good omen, says envoy

Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — A visit of Federal German Chancellor Helmut Kohl to Israel this year "will mark another important step in our relations," German Ambassador Niels Hansen said yesterday. He noted that Kohl had announced his intention to come this year immediately after his election. The chancellor's visit will eliminate "the cloud of contention" caused by "a certain irritation" that had marred relations between Prime Minister Menachem Begin and former Chancellor Helmut Schmidt, Hansen said.

In a speech to the Haifa Rotary Club, Hansen said the change of government did not basically influence the German Federal Republic's approach to Israel because parties in the Bundestag want "good and cordial relations with Israel."

He said that Kohl, born in 1930, "feels himself the heir of (Konrad) Adenauer, who, with Ben Gurion, established a basis of relations between our countries."

The ambassador declared: "We will not grant the PLO a better political standing until they make it very clear that they recognize Israel. We will not deviate from this line."

Eitan spends day at his carpentry bench

By MENAHEM HOROWITZ
Jerusalem Post Reporter

KIRYAT SHMONA. — On his first day out of uniform, former chief of staff Rafael Eitan told reporters at his home in Tel Adashim that he has no plans of going into politics. His wife Miriam confirmed this statement.

Eitan spent the day at work in his carpentry shop building a large cupboard for all the mementos and gifts collected during his years of service in the Israel Defence Forces.

"I have nothing but scorn for those who smile when they hear that I'm not going into politics. They never got their hands dirty doing Jewish manual labour," he said.

Dressed in blue shirt and trousers and wearing high boots, Eitan said he got up late yesterday morning — at 6:30 — and immediately went off to the carpentry shop.

But he was interrupted by the large number of visitors, both civilians and soldiers.

TA lifeguard dispute goes to labour court

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Tel Aviv District Labour Court is scheduled to consider today the latest conflict between the municipality and its lifeguards, who complain that City Hall is trying to force them to work 12 hours a day, seven days a week."

Shmuel Solomonov, chairman of the lifeguards' work committee, said the municipality has broken a number of long-standing labour agreements and ignored the guards' request to establish a system of shifts.

He said the number of lifeguards in Tel Aviv beaches has been reduced from 60 to 40 since 1979, and asserted it is difficult to attract personnel because of the low pay. He said an experienced lifeguard can expect to earn a net salary of IS19,000 a month, including transporation expenses.

Municipal spokesman Roni Rimon, however stated that top gross pay for an experienced lifeguard totals IS110,000 month.

"If he'll give me IS110,000 a month, I'm ready to work as many hours a day as he wants," Solomonov responded.

Problems between City Hall and lifeguards at its 13 beaches have erupted regularly over the past few years. The latest dispute began on the eve of the opening of the bathing season at Pessah, when the lifeguards announced they would work only the hours required of other city employees — seven hours a day — and not on Shabbat and holidays free.

UJA activists, Israelis to hold talks

By JUDY SIEGEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

American Jewish fund raisers and donors aged 25 to 40 and their Israeli peers decided yesterday to hold a series of discussions on such problems as aliya, emigration from Israel, the use of United Jewish Appeal funds and the "Who's a Jew" controversy.

The first conference, with the participation of members of the UJA's Young Leadership, members of Keren Hayesod's Young Leadership Division and Israelis from all walks of life, is to take place here later this year.

The dialogue was agreed upon at a luncheon in the Knesset hosted by four young Knesset members for about 20 members of the UJA's Yachad Young Leadership Mission that ended on Tuesday night.

Stephen Greenberg, chairman-designate of the Young Leadership Cabinet, said that American Jews in their age group are troubled by many aspects of Diaspora-Israeli relationship. The four MKs, Micha Harish and Adiel Amorai of the Labour Party and Meir Shitrit and Ehud Olmert of the Likud, agreed that many problems have to be ironed out.

Man held on suspicion of raping his wife

KFAR SAVA (Itim). — A Kfar Saba man was yesterday ordered detained for five days by the local magistrates court on suspicion of raping and beating his wife on Monday night. The court forbade publication of his name.

The victim, his common-law wife since 1976, reached the local hospital's emergency ward which informed the police. They arrested the man, who denied his wife's accusations.

ELDERLY. — Twenty pupils of the Amal school in Dimona are installing special locks and other safety devices on the doors of apartments of elderly persons in the Negev town.

MGM wins injunction against *Fame* 'pirates'

TEL AVIV (Itim). — The film company, MGM, which produced the television series *Fame*, yesterday won a temporary injunction against an Israeli businessman forbidding him from producing and distributing the pictures of the *Fame* actors.

The Tel Aviv District Court issued ths injunction against, Avi Cohen of Jerusalem, owner of the Olam Hatemunot (World of Pictures) company, which has been issuing *Fame* greeting cards.

Israelis to attend world dog exhibition

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Israel Kennel Club members will attend the World Canine Show to be held in Madrid, June 9-12, and will participate for the first time in policy-making sessions of the International Cynologic Federation.

The shows expects to bring together 15,000 exhibitors from 50 countries, showing 7,000 dogs of 200 breeds competing for world-championship titles, according to Roby Damelin of the local kennel club.

Isasbest workers to demonstrate today

NAHARIYA (Itim). — Striking workers from the Isasbest asbestos plant here plan to demonstrate in Tel Aviv and Herzliya today. They intend to gather outside the Dan Hotel in Tel Aviv and the Accadia, Herzliya, which belong to Yekutiel Federmann, one of the owners of their company.

The plant's manager, Aryeh Sharon, said yesterday that the workers are endangering their future employment by continuing the strike, which began last Wednesday.

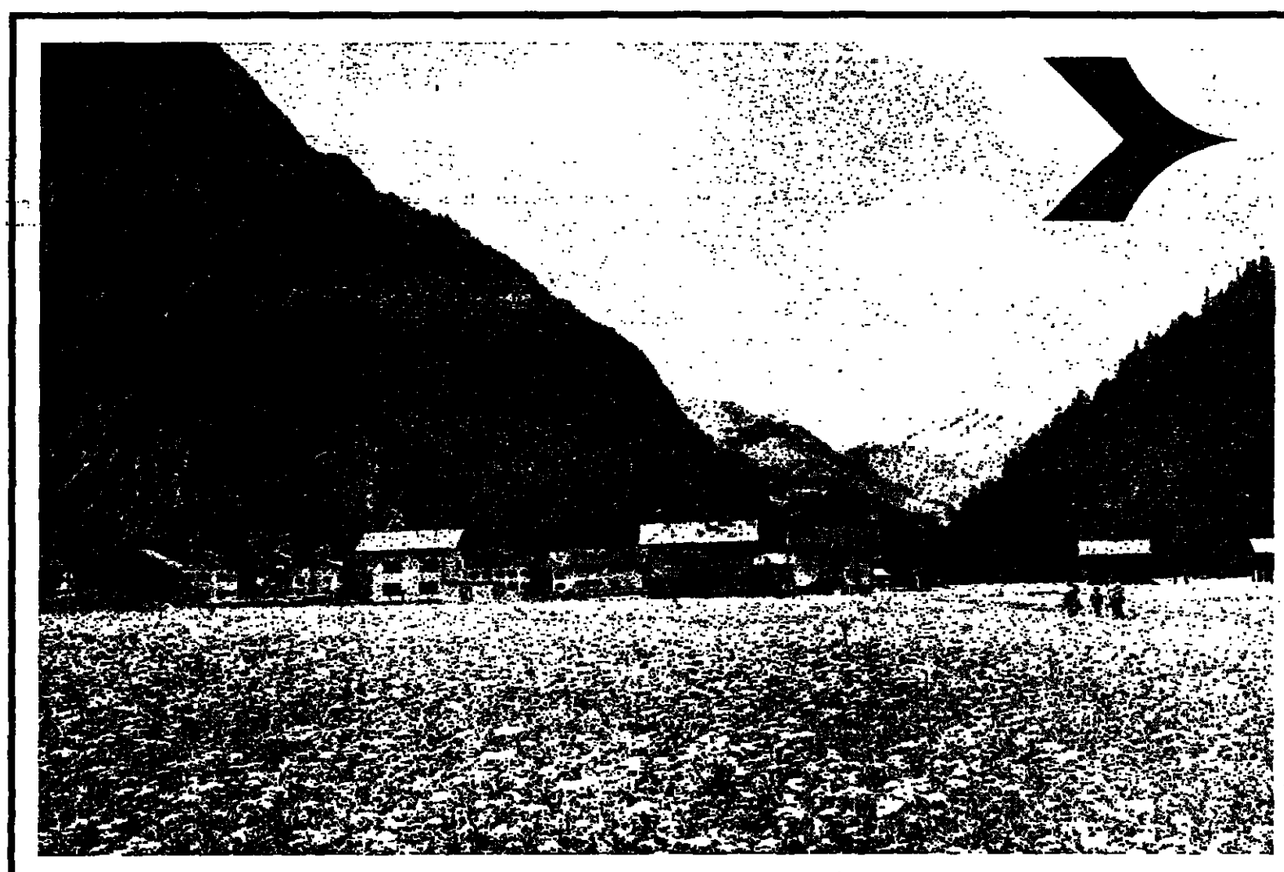
He said they have caused serious damage to the company, but talks will not start until they return to work. The company was in financial difficulties when the strike began.

The workers are demanding a pay rise and are angry about the dismissals of 25 colleagues and the forced retirement of nine others.

Labour Ministry staff impose work sanctions

The Labour Ministry's director-general will not get his mail and he won't be able to send any because the ministry's staff has imposed sanctions in support of a labour dispute, the staff committee announced.

Among the points in dispute is the committee's demand for representation on an interministerial committee set up to consider wage-increase demand.



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Iraq says Iranian children sent to war-front 'school'

BAGHDAD (Reuter). — Dozens of Iranian children captured by Iraq in the war with Iran were told before leaving home that the battlefield is the best university, the Baghdad daily *Al-Iraq* said yesterday.

It said the children, aged between nine and 16, were sent to the front after being told school will not teach them anything because it is "the work of the devil."

The newspaper said the children were captured in Iraq's Misan province, the scene of recent heavy fighting.

One of them, 13-year-old Ali Reza Soflati, was quoted as saying: "They (the Iranians) said the front is the best university and school will not teach us anything... After that they trained us for two weeks and sent us to the front."

Other children said they were told: "Get to Kerbala (the holy Shi'ite city in west Iraq) and the blessings of the imam (Iran's revolutionary leader Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini) will be there to guard you."

An Iraqi Army spokesman said on Monday that 14,982 Iranians had been killed and hundreds captured in recent fighting.

In Abu Dhabi, information ministers from seven gulf states yesterday urged Iran and Iraq to end the 31-month-old gulf war, which they said threatens the region's stability.

Moslem clergymen from 50 countries meeting in Baghdad last week also called for an end to the war.

Fear of Islam spurred Soviet invasion—Zia

ISLAMABAD (Reuter). — Pakistan's President Mohammed *Zia ul-Haq was quoted yesterday as* saying the Soviet Union invaded Afghanistan in 1979 to stop an Islamic resurgence in the southern Soviet republics.

The official Associated Press of Pakistan (APP) news agency reported that Zia said the Soviet Union was worried by the success of an "Islamic renaissance" in Pakistan.

One motive for the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan was to "raise an embankment against the flow of the Islamic spirit to ... (the Soviet) southern republics," he said.

Speaking at Tando Adam town in Pakistan's Sind province Tuesday, Zia said these republics were the cradle of Islam and the people there still love Islam.

Maori aims a cheeky protest at royal couple

WELLINGTON (AP). — A grass-skirted Maori protester bared his buttocks at Prince Charles and Princess Diana as they drove by yesterday and was quickly arrested, police said.

The incident happened as the royal couple arrived in the capital on the fourth day of their New Zealand tour. It was not clear whether they saw the demonstration, but a senior police spokesman said the man, identified as Dun Mihaka, was very close to them at the time.

The prince and princess were just driving out of Wellington airport when Mihaka — a well-known Maori activist — ran out onto the road, police said.

"He was wearing a 'piu piu' — a Maori grass skirt," the spokesman said. "He swung around and flung up the skirt to expose his naked posterior."

Search in NY for victims of mass killing

NEW YORK (Reuter). — Police dug up the bodies of two women in the garden of a Staten Island house and were searching there yesterday for the remains of more victims of a mass-murder.

A police spokesman said the bodies were found by detectives from Monmouth County, New Jersey, acting on information from convicted murderer Richard Biegenwald, 42. One report said detectives believed there may be up to 26 victims.

He said the two bodies, wrapped in plastic bags, were found at the home of Biegenwald's mother in a remote area of the New York borough.

The house was reported empty when the searchers came. The spokesman did not know whether it was occupied. The bodies, whose identities and ages were not known, were taken to the city medical examiner's office.

Biegenwald has been charged in Monmouth County with the shooting to death of Anna Olesibicz, 18, of Camden, N.J., in 1982.

Olesibicz disappeared from Asbury Park, N.J., last August 28. Her badly decomposed body, with four bullet holes in it, was found in a shallow grave in Ocean Township, Monmouth County, by two girls playing in a wood.

A spokesman for the Monmouth County prosecutor's office said Olesibicz apparently was murdered because her killer "wanted to watch someone die.

"They were thrill killings," the spokesman said of the suspected murder cases.

New Jersey authorities said Biegenwald has been in and out of prisons since age 18.

They said he served 18 years of a life term for the 1958 murder of a prosecutor in Bayonne and lived in the Staten Island house after his release in 1976 until last year, when he moved to Asbury Park.

Monmouth Country Prosecutor Alexander Lehrer said the case began unravelling when two buried bodies were found in New Jersey at the weekend. One was of a woman with a bullet in her head. The other was of a man with multiple gunshot wounds.

"I believe all the people were killed in Monmouth County. I also suspect there are more bodies in Staten Island," Lehrer said.

Prison scenes surprise Soviet filmgoers

MOSCOW (AP). — One of Moscow's biggest movie hits this spring is a film that opens and ends with shots of a Siberian prison camp, a rare sight for Soviet moviegoers.

Barbed wire, uniformed guards and the watch towers of a Siberian prison camp appear in *Train Station for Two.*" It is billed as a comedy, although the beginning conveys the same bleak misery seen in the Western filming of Alexander Solzhenitsyn's *One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich.*

At the start of the film prisoners bundled up against the cold are seen shuffling through the snow, humping heavy loads or digging ditches under supervision, snatching time for a cigarette, straggling to roll call and passing through a strict security check.

One prisoner is called aside during a nighttime identity check. A camp guard tells him a woman has come to visit and he may spend one night with her in a nearby cottage.

The prisoner wanders off and the action switches to the main setting of the film, a railway station.

The Soviets say the film, directed by Eldan Ryazanov, is not the first to show a prison camp, but audience reaction suggests the scenes are rare.

"I had never seen that on screen," said one Muscovite whose brother recently spent two years in a Siberian camp for refusing military service.

She added that the film was "awful" — principally because of the lighthearted depiction of prison life at the end.

The couple oversleep. Then sit down in the snow, playing the accordion and singing, in order to attract the guards' attention and avoid being marked absent from the camp.

The camp commandant hears the music, smiles and pronounces, "I knew they'd come back." The prisoner is excused.

Westerners who have seen the movie say Soviet audiences reacted differently to the ending. At one showing in Moscow, some spectators laughed. Others were silent.

Egypt bans Heikal's book on Sadat

CAIRO (AP). — An opposition party newspaper said yesterday it was bowing to a government ban and stopping publication of extracts from a book highly critical of the late president Anwar Sadat.

The weekly *Al-Ahali*, organ of the Marxist-oriented National Progressive Unionist Rally, said the ban involves the book *Autumn of Fury* by Mohammed Hassanein Heikal, former editor of the leading national daily *Al Ahram* and a one-time presidential confidant.

Al-Ahali said the ban also applies to the book itself and the entry into Egypt of all newspapers from abroad serializing it.

In its issue of last Wednesday, *Al-Ahali* published extracts from the preface and first two chapters of the book, which depicted Sadat as a psychologically complex man whose highhanded actions as president stemmed from his humble origins.

The published extracts said Sadat's Sudanese mother was the daughter of a slave sold to a Nile delta family that subsequently freed him.

Scientist foresees space power beams

MOSCOW (Reuter). — A senior Soviet scientist said yesterday that development of solar-power stations in outer space should form a central part of Moscow's long-term space programme.

Vasily Mishin, one of the country's top energy experts, said that it will not be long before efficient technologies are developed that could trap the sun's rays and convert them into an energy beam transmitted to earth.

It is already possible to predict that an orbiting power station with a diameter of two to three kilometres will provide as much energy as all the power stations in the Soviet Union, he added.

In his article, published by the monthly magazine *Kommunist*, Mishin said that within a few years equipment for complex solar plants could be sent up by 12 to 15 rockets and assembled in space.

But he said a major problem still to be solved is how the energy will be beamed back to earth through the atmosphere.

Eight W. Germans said held in Libya

TRIPOLI, Libya (AP). — Eight West Germans have been arrested on charges of spying for the CIA and "other bodies hostile to the Libyan Arab people," Libya's JANA news agency reported yesterday.

The dispatch said ths eight had worked for German firms in Libya. "They have been found carrying out sabotage and espionage activities and promoting rumours to throw doubt on the revolution and obstruct the people's authority," JANA said.

They collected information that harmed Libyan security "giving it to hostile circles led by the CIA," the news agency added.

In Bonn on Monday, a government spokesman reported that a government minister had flown to Libya to ask that the eight be freed.

'Pravda' letter doesn't ring a Bell

NORTH BEND, Washington (AP). — "Tom Bell, where are you?"

The Soviet newspaper Pravda printed part of a letter purportedly written by a Tom Bell of North Bend, Washington, to Soviet party leader Yuri Andropov, pleading for peace. The newspaper described Bell's letter as "rather sensible on the whole."

But Tom Bell can't be found in North Bend, a community of 1,740. He also can't be found in North Bend, Oregon, or South Bend, Washington.

The local telephone company can't find him. Folks at city hall say he's not one of 900 people hooked up to city sewer or water systems. He doesn't seem to use electricity, since the local utilities don't send him bills.

He probably isn't dead. The only funeral home in town would remember and it doesn't. And he isn't ill at the local nursing home. The woman who answered the phone there said so. "If he's single, I'd know him," she said.

Maybe he moved. Reporters throughout the Puget Sound area called a Tom Bell in Bellevue, a Seattle suburb.

Bell's phone rings three times, then a recorded message says: "If you are a news service, chances are you have the wrong Tom Bell. I didn't write any letters to the Soviet Union."

Turks hang murderer

ANKARA (Reuter). — The convicted murderer of the wife and daughter of a former Austrian ambassador to Turkey was hanged early yesterday, officials here said.

Sener Yigit was sentenced to death for killing Verena and Andrea Laube after he tried to sexually assault the daughter as they sunbathed at the Mediterranean town of Fethiye in 1978.

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Sports

Liverpool win, with Everton's help

Post Sports Staff and Agencies

Liverpool's place as winners of the English First Division became certain on Tuesday, without the famous "Reds" having to move a finger or kick a ball to gain their 14th League title. They came home to glory by virtue of a shock 2-2 victory scored by their arch-rivals on the Merseyside, Everton, over Manchester United. Now United can only catch Liverpool if United lose all their last five matches by at least five goals each, while United must win all theirs by similar margins.

Bob Paisley, the Liverpool manager who retires at the end of the season, said: "Obviously I'm delighted, and it shows the standards of this club. But I don't think we'd get away with it again with so few players. The squad will have to be strengthened for next season."

Aberdeen became the first European club to gain a place in a final. They lost 1-0 to Watershel of Belgium, but go through on 5-1 aggregate to the final of the Cup-Winners Cup.

Shlomo fights off challenge

Post Sports Staff

Shlomo Glickstein overcame a very poor start and appalling English weather to defeat Claudio Penatta of Italy 3-6, 7-6, 6-3 in the opening round of the $125,000 Bournemouth Grand Prix Tennis Tournament. Penatta, 23, is the younger brother of Adriano, and is ranked 85 in the world. Glickstein was trailing 2-4 in the second set tiebreaker, but managed to take it 9-7.

Glickstein, now ranked 30 in the world, was runner-up in the Bournemouth tournament in 1981, when he lost to Angel Giminez of Spain. He is seeded fifth this time. He and Steve Krulewitz play their first doubles match today.

SOCCER COMMENT

Jaffa's three-course feast

By PAUL KOHN
Post Sports Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Jaffa will be treated to a football feast this Saturday, with the three main games in the National League taking place there. In the early match at the Bloomfield Stadium the in-form Shimshon plays a derby against out-of-form Maccabi Tel Aviv, followed at 3.30 by Hapoel Tel Aviv against Hapoel Beersheba.

The humdinger of the day promises to be the game at the neighbouring Maccabi Jaffa pitch where Hapoel Jerusalem will be visitors. Both teams are desperate for points in a last-ditch effort to avoid relegation. The Jaffa side, in 15th place, caused more than a few ripples last weekend when they beat league-leaders Maccabi Netanya 1-0, in Netanya. But Hapoel Jerusalem also had a great Saturday, beating Kfar Sava 2-0, to find themselves in 14th spot two points above Maccabi Jaffa.

Yoav Basson, who scored both those goals, the veteran Meir Barad and Zion Marili were outstanding in the Jerusalem side. In fact, the Jerusalemites were worth more than a two-goal margin victory. A repeat performance could enable Hapoel to win this game, but Basson and Co. will have to find ways to beat Herzl Kabilio in the Jaffa goal.

Hapoel Tel Aviv cracked seven goals past Bnei Yehuda at this ground last Saturday, and, although they are not likely to do that against Beersheba, Gil Landau, Moshe Sinai, Dov Remler and Maurice Jano are all in sparkling form. They will certainly bring the fans back to Bloomfield this Saturday. Anything like the Hapoel concert of last week will send the Beershebans back to the Negev empty handed, but anyone in Tel Aviv anticipating an easy match should be reminded that Hapoel Beersheba beat Maccabi Tel Aviv 3-0 last week. Haim Ben Shanan, Sami Malkha and Shalom Avitan showed splendid form in that encounter.

For Maccabi Tel Aviv, that result marked their fourth consecutive defeat, and only Gaby Lasri and Avi Cohen are playing anything like at their best. On current form the Maccabees stand little chance against Gideon Damti, Meir Ben Shitrit and Shlomo Mizrahi, but Maccabi has always been a team to produce their best against the toughest opposition. This should be another game well worth seeing.

In the capital, Betar Jerusalem should return to their winning ways at the expense of Maccabi Petah Tikva. It will be interesting to see what happens to Bnei Yehuda and Maccabi Netanya, both losers last Saturday, who clash in the Hatikva Quarter.

Sportoto Guide

	Single Line	Permutation
Hap. TA vs. Beersheba	1	1X2
Bnei Yehuda vs. Netanya	X	X2
Jaffa vs. Hap. J'lm	2	2
Kfar Sava vs. Lod	1	1
Yavne vs. Mac. Haifa	X	X
Betar J'lm vs. Mac. PT	1	1
Ramat Gan vs. Yehud	X	X
Shimshon vs. Mac. TA	1	1X2
U. Nazareth vs. Hakoah	2	2
Hap. PT vs. Ashkelon	1	1
Acre vs. Hap. Haifa	2	2
B. Shemesh vs. Betar Ramle	1	1
Hadera vs. Rishon	X	1X

SCOREBOARD

ITALIAN BASKETBALL. — Unfamiliar faces will appear in next year's European Cup. Billy Milano, who reached this year's final, were ousted from the top spot in the Italian League by Banko Roma, 95-83, in the third-play-off match. Real Madrid also failed to make it in the Spanish league.

NBA. — Boston Celtics snatched a 85-81 victory at the last minute in their first best-of-three playoffs against Atlanta Hawks, due to Larry Bird scoring eight points in the last 3½ minutes. Phoenix Suns beat Denver Nuggets 121-108 in their first play-off game.

BASEBALL. — It was freezing around the American League — but this didn't bother the guys with the hot bats. John Lowenstein drove a tie-breaking eighth inning homer through a driving snowstorm to enable Baltimore to beat Texas 4-2. It was just as cold in Toronto, where the Blue Jays whipped the Indians 9-7. Chicago was also freezing, but the White Sox raised their temperature with a 13-3 rout of the Yankees. Minnesota burned Seattle 6-2 to keep warm. In the National League, it was Houston 6, Cincinnati 5; Atlanta 9, San Diego 2.

CRICKET. — West Indies beat India by ten wickets in the fourth Test at Bridgetown yesterday. India managed to tie the West Indian score of 486 — but needed two innings of 289 and 277 to do so. For the winners, Gus Logie made 130 and Andy Roberts took 8 for 78 in the match.

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ENTERTAINMENT

TELEVISION

EDUCATIONAL
8.15 Language and Communications 3-5 8.40 Spoken Arabic 9.00 English 7 9.20 Music 4-6 9.50 English 9 10.15 Science 10.30 The History of Eretz Yisrael 10.50 Fistuk's House 11.15 English 6 11.30 Geography 7-9 12.00 Science 7-8 12.30 Literature 9-12 13.00 Music 13.30 French 15.00 Programme for Kindergarteners; Science (repeats) 16.00 Castaways (part 10) 16.30 Here and There 16.40 Follow Me — Beginners' English for Adults (repeat) 17.00 A New Evening — live magazine
CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMES:
17.30 Different Strokes
18.00 Two Together — bi-weekly quiz introduced by Sefi Rivlin
ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes:
18.30 News roundup
18.32 Situation
18.45 Arabic Quiz
19.00 Meeting — discussion of current affairs
19.30 News
HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at
20.00 with a news roundup
20.03 Match of the Week
20.50 Beauty Spot — tips for hikes and trips
21.00 Mabat Newsreel
21.30 Selection of songs to be sung at the Eurovision Song Contest (part 2)
22.00 A Town Like Alice. Part 1 of a 6-part series based on Nevil Shute's book about the Japanese invasion of Malaya during the Second World War. Starring Helen Morse, Bryan Brown and Gordon Jackson
22.50 *Three's Company: Ground Rules*
23.15 News
JORDAN TV (unofficial):
17.30 Cartoons 18.00 French Hour 18.30 (JTV 3) The Misadventure of Sheriff Lobo 19.00 News in French 19.30 News in Hebrew 20.00 News in Arabic 20.30 Magic 21.10 The Foundation 22.00 News in English 22.15 Feature Film.

ON THE AIR

First Programme

6.11 Musical Clock
7.07 Corelli: Saraband, Jig and Badinerie (Jerusalem Symphony, Rodan); Chopin: Les Sylphides (Paris Conservatoire, Maag); Bizet: L'Arlesienne, Suite No.1 (Bernstein)
8.05 Bach: Cantata No. 146; Beethoven: Piano Concerto No.5, Op.73 (Gregory Allen, Jerusalem Symphony, Rodan); Sibelius: Symphony No.4 (Moscow, Rostdeshtvensky)
10.05 Schubert: Introduction and Variations, Op.160 (Rampal, Varon-Lecroix); Dvorak: Quintet, Op.97 (Smetana Quartet, with Josef Suk)
11.00 Sephardi Traditions
11.15 Elementary School Broadcasts
11.30 Education for All
12.05 Debussy: Three Songs after Charles d'Orleans (John Alldis); Bach: Suite No.2 (Sharona Tel-Oren, Beersheba Sinfonietta, Edgar Kosma); Liszt: Tasso (Jerusalem Symphony, Yuri Aharonitch)
13.00 Victor Masse: Les Noces de Jeannette (Opera Comique, Pierre Crouchon)
14.10 Children's programmes
15.25 Talk on *halachic* matters
15.55 Notes on a New Book
16.05 First Recording — P. Ben-Haim: Sonata for Violin Solo (Eyal Shiloah); L. Keegan: Trumpet Concerto (Sarit Kendel, with Ruth Mense); J. Dorfman: Piano Sonata No.2 (Anat Be'eri)
16.40 Speaker's Podium
17.10 Lesson in *Halacha*
17.35 Programmes for Olim
20.05 Sights in Israel (repeat)
20.10 Musical Interlude
20.35 The Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra — Haydn: Trumpet Concerto (Guy Tovero, David Shallon); Kodaly: Dances from Galanta (Macal); Brahms: Piano Concerto No.1 (Gelber, Rodan); Bartok: Bluebeard's Castle
23.00 Radio Drama
00.10 Chamber Music — Mozart: Piano Quintet with Wind Instruments (James Levine); Debussy: Blanc et Noir, for Two Pianos (Martha Argerich, Stephen Bishop)

Second Programme

6.12 Gymnastics
6.22 Agricultural Broadcasts
6.35 Editorial Review
6.54 Green Light — drivers' corner
7.00 This Morning — news magazine
8.05 First Thing — with Ehud Manor
10.10 All Shades of the Network — morning magazine
12.05 Open Line — news and music
13.00 Midday — news commentary, music
14.10 Matters of Interest — introduced by Gabi Gazit
16.10 Any Questions?
17.10 Magazine
17.25 Of Men and Figures — economics magazine
18.05 Tales of the Underground
18.47 Bible Reading — Job 29
19.00 Today — people and events in the news
20.05 Between Friday and Saturday (repeat)
21.10 With People (repeat)
22.05 Citizenship (repeat)
23.05 Treasure Hunt — radio game

Army

6.06 Morning Sounds
7.07 "707" — with Alex Ansky
8.05 IDF Morning Newsreel
9.05 Right Now — with Yitzhak Ben-Ner
11.05 Musical Requests — with Shira Gera
12.05 Israeli Spring — with Eli Yisraeli
13.05 One and to the Point — midday magazine
14.05 Two Hours — music, anecdotes, interviews and reviews
16.05 Four in the Afternoon — Hebrew songs
17.05 IDF Evening Newsreel
18.05 Economics Magazine
19.05 Music Today — music magazine
20.05 Israeli Hit Parade
21.00 Mabat Newsreel
22.05 Popular songs
23.05 Rondo
00.05 Night Birds — songs, chat with Ronnie Toren

ENGLISH-LANGUAGE BROADCASTS

7.00, 14.00, 17.00, 20.00
Special daily features following the news at 14.00
SUN. Israel Mosaic — weekly magazine
MON. You're On the Air — Live phone-in
Tue. Mainstream — information and consumer magazine
WED. Forum — discussion
THUR. Studio Three — arts in Israel
FRI. Thank Goodness It's Friday — Sabbath eve programme
SAT. Weekend — people and events in the news

CINEMAS

JERUSALEM 4, 7, 9
Edea: Poltergeist; **Edison:** Live and Let Die; **Habira:** The Bomber; **Kfir:** Silent Night 4, 6.45, 9; **Mitchell:** Officer and a Gentleman 6.30, 9; **Orgil:** Victor Victoria 6.30, . 9; **Orion:** Blade Runner 4, 6.45, 9; **Oren:** Az Men Git Nemt Men; **Ros:** Night of San Lorenzo; **Semadar:** On Golden Pond 7, 9.15; **Binyenei Ha'uma:** The Verdict 7, 9; **Cinema One:** Blues Brothers 6.45, 9.15; **Cinematheque:** Adventures of Coupi and Baba 7; Paris la Belle and Muriel ou le Temps d'un Retour (both 9); Can Hieronymous Merkin Ever Forget Mercy Hump,' midnight

TEL AVIV 4.30, 7.15, 9.30
Allenby: The Seduction 9.30 (Mon.-Thur. 6, 9.30); **Ben-Yehuda:** World According to Garp 4.15, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Chen 1:** E.T. 4.30, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Chen 2:** Victor Victoria 4.15, 6.15, 9.30 (Sun. 6.50, 9.30); **Chen 3:** Diner 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Chen 4:** Hard Day's Night 10.30, 1.30, 4.25, 7.20, 9.30; **Chen 5:** Missing 4.30, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); Animal House 10.20, 1.30 (exc. Sun.); **Cinema One:** Hot Bubble Gum 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Cinema Two:** closed; **Dekel:** The Verdict 7, 9.30; **Drive-in:** Rose of Baghdad 7.15; The Good, the Bad and the Ugly 9.15; Who's Afraid of Sex, 12 midnight; **Esther:** L'as des As 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); , **Gat:** Officer and a Gentleman 4.30, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Gordon:** Tempest 7, 9.30; Force of Evil 5.30; **Hod:** First Blood 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Lev 1:** Clair de Femme 1.30, 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Lev II:** Night of San Lorenzo 7.15, 9.30; **Limor:** Summer Lovers 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); Grease, Mon. 11 a.m.; **Maxim:** Nurit II, 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Mograbi:** Annie 11 a.m., 4, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Orly:** Live and Let Die 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Paris:** Gregory's Girl 10, 12, 2, 4, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Peer:** Lonely Hearts 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Shahaf:** Six Weeks 4.30, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Studio:** Young Doctors in Love 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Tchelet:** Monty Python Live at the Hollywood Bowl 4.30, 7.15, 9.30; (Sun. 7.15, 9.30); **Tel Aviv:** Blade Runner 4.30, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Tel Aviv Museum:** Draughtsman's Contract; **Zafon:** Pixote; **Beth Hatefutsoth:** Charlotte 8.30

HAIFA 4, 6.45, 9
Amanf: Fame 5, 7, 9 (Sun. 7, 9); **Amphitheatre:** First Blood 4, 6.45, 9 (Sun. 6.45, 9); **Armon:** Banana Joe 4, 6.45, 9 (Sun. 6.45, 9; **Atzmon:** L'as des As 4, 6.45, 9 (Sun. 6.45, 9); **Chen:** E.T. 4, 6.45, 9 (Sun. 6.45, 9); **Galor:** The Amateur 10, 2, 6; Gator 12, 4, 8; **Moriah:** The Verdict 6.30, 9; **Haifa Municipal Theatre:** Atlantic City USA 6.30; **Orah:** Modern Problems 4, 6.45, 9 (Sun. 6.45, 9); **Orion:** Image of Love 6 nonstop; **Orly:** Best Little Whorehouse in Texas 6.45, 9; **Peer:** Officer and a Gentleman 4, 6.30, 9 (Sun. 6.30, 9); . **Ron:** Nana 4, 6.45, 9; **Shavit:** Gregory's Girl 6.45, 9

RAMAT GAN
Armon: Best Little Whorehouse in Texas 7.15, 9.30; She 4 (exc. Sun.); **Lily:** Summer Lovers 7.15, 9.30; **Oasis:** E.T. 4, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Ordan:** Mad Max 7.15, 9.30; **Ramat Gan:** Annie 4, 7, 9.30 (Sun. 7, 9.30); **Kfar Hamaccabiah:** Man Isn't a Bird 7.15.

HERZLIYA
Tiferet: Tempest 7, 9.30

NETANYA
Esther: First Blood 7, 9.15

HOLON
Migdal: Officer and a Gentleman 7.15, 9.30; La Tulipe Noire 4.30 (exc. Sun.); **Savoy:** Blade Runner 4.30, 7.15, 9.30 (Sun. 7.15, 9.30)

RAMAT HASHARON
Star: The Warriors 7; Shoot the Moon, Mon. 9.30; Sound of Music 4.

A real winner

By ELI KAREV/Special to The Jerusalem Post

AT ONE OF Arthur Rubinstein's concerts in Los Angeles, an intent nine-year-old named Jeffrey Kahane sat quietly in the front row until, the programme over, he rose with everybody else in a standing ovation. Rubinstein leaned over from the stage and shook little Jeff's hand.

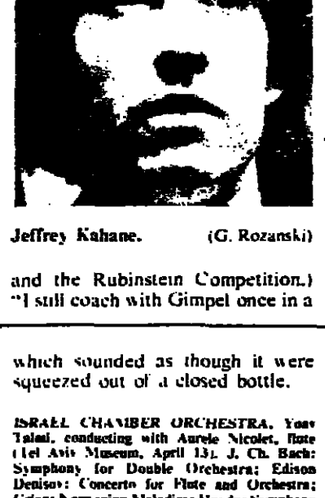
Some 18 years later, it was Jeffrey for whom the audience rose, as Aniela Rubinstein welcomed him, the winner of the fourth international Arthur Rubinstein Piano Master Competition.

"When the results were announced, well past midnight, I was in the state of absolute shock. I couldn't even say I was overjoyed. After all the incredible amount of work, all this tension — it all was over."

The slim, green-eyed pianist has well-defined views on his professional future. He would love working with famous orchestras and great conductors. Yet he does not cherish the prospect of 100 concerts a year. "I am thinking in terms of some 50 performances, no more. I hope to maintain a strict control over the amount of playing I do — both for the sake of my family and for the sake of my playing. I also want to play a lot of chamber music and, eventually, to do some teaching."

Born into a professional Los Angeles family (his father, a psychologist; his mother, a hospital administrator), Jeffrey has been in love with music and the piano since childhood. Yet not until age 15 did he feel that playing the piano would be the thing of his life. "For the next five years or so, it was a struggle, because I had to make up for the years I took it relatively easy. Up till very recently, I felt technically behind my colleagues."

KAHANE's first teacher, with whom he studied, for almost 10 years in Los Angeles, was Howard Weisel; he then worked with many people for brief periods at the San Francisco Conservatory. "I was always hungry to explore the approaches of as many musicians as possible." A major artistic influence has been Jacob Gimpel, the pianist who many years ago had accompanied Bronislaw Huberman in his concerts in Europe and Palestine. (Which provides as credible link as any, if you wish, between the two big musical events of this season in Tel Aviv, the Huberman Festival and the Rubinstein Competition.) "I still coach with Gimpel once in a while, and played some of my competition repertoire for him."



Jeffrey Kahane. (G. Rozanski)

Kahane then went off to the East Coast and enrolled in the Juilliard School in New York, but did not stay for long. A stint with Peter Feuchtwanger in London followed. For the last three years, Kahane has studied with John Perry, whom he admires unreservedly: "I was looking all along for a certain quality in a teacher, which he fulfilled. I believe there is a special kind of chemistry between us."

Will the dramatic turn in Jeffrey's career affect his family life? "It worries me a great deal. But I hope my experience so far will be useful. I have been playing a lot the last couple years. Still, when I am not on the road, I am home all day long. Sure there is the practising, the study of scores, the research, but there still is time to be with my wife and my son." (Gabriel will be two in July.)

Kahane's first appearances as the Rubinstein Prize winner were in Jerusalem, at the festive ceremony closing the competition and at the Independence Day concert; where he shared the podium with Henryk Szering. He is happy to play here and hopes to return.

The pianist relates that his mother was on the last boat of Jewish refugees to leave Nazi Germany. His maternal grandfather went through Bergen-Belsen; his other grandfather, Kapitanovsky before changing it to Kahane, left Russia at the turn of the century. Thus Jeffrey promises to return because "I must show my wife and my son this country."

Double attraction

MUSIC

JERUSALEM SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, Mendi Rodan conducting; with Jeffrey Kahane, piano; Henryk Szeryng, violin (Jerusalem Theatre, April 17). Paul Ben-Haim: "Psalms" from Symphony No. 1; Beethoven: Piano Concerto No. 4, in G Major, opus 58; Bach: Violin Concerto in A Minor; Beethoven: Violin Concerto in D, opus 61.

THIS YEAR's Independence Day Concert was doubly attractive with Jeffrey Kahane, the first prize winner of the Fourth Arthur Rubinstein Piano Master Competition, and Henryk Szeryng as soloists in no less than three concertos. The orchestra had only the Ben-Haim *Psalms* on its own but in this showed its capacity for full-bodied sound and compact sonorities. Mendi Rodan built up the meditative psalmody to a moving climax and then returned to a contemplative mood with tension beautifully maintained.

Jeffrey Kahane, after his rousing performance of Rachmaninoff's *Paganini-Rhapsody* last week, proved his excellent musicianship in the Fourth Concerto by Beethoven, a work requiring more than virtuoso brilliance. He imbued the many lyrical and songful spots with meaning without giving in to romantic dreaminess. His general approach is virile but never gross; he seems to have unending stamina and firm control of his nerves and emotions.

Henryk Szeryng delighted with a straight-forward rendition of Bach's unsophisticated *Concerto in A Minor*, presenting all its freshness and clear lines. In the Beethoven Concerto, a special atmosphere was created by Szeryng's seemingly objective approach — the heavenly music seemed a pure creation devoid of interpretational means. It was a pity that Szeryng played cadenzas — apparently his own — that were not as concise and economical as the Kreisler cadenzas generally performed. These and the soloist's stage mannerisms detracted from an otherwise beautiful and endearing performance.

The Jerusalem Symphony gave of its best. A special compliment should go to the right half of the orchestra, which had to be content most of the time with the conductor's back, as he chose to turn his profile to the audience and to direct the first violins almost exclusively. Mendi Rodan is an excellent conductor and accompanist, and we hope he will in future give his attention to all sections of the orchestra.

Szeryng and Rodan were also an admirable combination in the earlier JSO concert on April 13. Also praiseworthy was George Haas whose oboe solo was sheer delight.

YOHANAN BOEHM

MAURIZIO POLLINI, pianist, presented by the Arthur Rubinstein International Music Society. (Mann Auditorium, Tel Aviv, April 12) Schumann: Symphonic Etudes; Brahms: Piano Pieces, opus 118, Piano Pieces, opus 119.

THE PIANO recital is not dead after all, as some here would have us believe. On a weekday afternoon, it still can command a near capacity audience at the Mann Auditorium (seating close to 3,000). The Arthur Rubinstein Music Society deserves kudos for driving this point home by presenting the Italian pianist, Maurizio Pollini, after an absence of 15 years from our stages.

Pollini is among the leading artists in the world, and one can see why. He plays the piano as well as anybody, taking the most intricate technical difficulties in his stride, pacing the music with subtle flexibility and drawing its lines with elegance and the unassailable logic of a master builder. His sound is graced by a luxurious colour palette, an appropriate shade being applied to each voice of a polyphonic texture. Throughout the performance, he controls the proceedings with quiet, unflagging authority.

Pollini's interpretive approach is direct and laconic. A master of the understatement, he observes rather than takes part in the drama. This emotional reserve works wonders with many compositions, as his many records show. The Schumann and the late Brahms, however, do not belong among them.

Perhaps the rendition of *Symphonic Etudes* can fascinate by the very lack of eccentricity in dealing with the work's romantic fervour, but eventually the cruel pangs of boredom set in. The Brahms pieces, especially opus 118, are deeply personal and involved musical statements; Pollini's detached attitide proved inadequate, many memorable episodes notwithstanding.

It was in the three encores — an Impromptu by Schubert and Schumann's *Aufschwung* and *Arabeske* — that the perfection of the pianist's art exercised its bewitching charm. The audience loved it all immensely; in fact, one can recall but very few instances of such enthusiasm in the Mann Auditorium.

ELI KAREV

THREE PLUS ONE concert series, with the Beersheba Duo: Sara Fixson and Bart Berman, piano; Yeshua Azulai, ud; Susan Barrett, oboe and English horn; Elishu Schulman, violin. (Beit Arieia, Tel Aviv, April 14). Shimon Shahal: "Beltarez" for piano 4 hands, ud and percussion; Amiran: "Lahat" Toccata for piano; "Lament" for English horn; "Ecstatic Dance" for oboe and piano; Berio: Sequenza No. 7 for oboe solo; Nissim Hermon: Duo for Violin and Piano; Ben-Haim: Sonata for Violin Solo; Bartok "The Miraculous Mandarin" for piano 4 hands.

EVERYTHING seemed to go wrong in this ill-fated concert. Shahal's experiment in combining East and West failed in an incredibly bad piece. Not only do the ud and the piano never meet, but also the piano part itself is an impossible mix of incongruous styles.

Emanuel Amiram is one of Israel's beloved folksong composers and many of his tunes have become part of the national culture. His instrumental pieces, however, reveal a poverty of invention. Nothing better can be said about Nissim Hermon's "Duo," which tries to catch something of Schoemberg's expressionistic mood and texture, but leads nowhere.

The only good Israeli piece was Paul Ben-Haim's *Sonata for Violin Solo*, but Eliahu Schulman needed much more tonal substance and polish to make it really impressive. The first and third movements must be played, like a Bach movement, with one breath, but Schulman simply lacks the drive to produce the necessary motion. True, in the "Duo," the instrument was poor, but the pianists cannot blame it alone for their serious failure.

Bartok's 4 hand version of *The Miraculous Mandarin* emerged pale, unimaginative and totally lacking in nuance. The very long composition became an unbearable bore.

The only piece which did give us some satisfaction was Berio's brilliant *Sequenza for oboe solo*, but even in this performance, one was constantly irritated by Susan Barrett's thin and unpleasant tone, which sounded as though it were squeezed out of a closed bottle.

ISRAEL CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, Yoav Talmi, conducting with Aurele Nicolet, flute (Tel Aviv Museum, April 13). J. Ch. Bach: Symphony for Double Orchestra; Edison Denisov: Concerto for Flute and Orchestra; Grieg: Norwegian Melodies; Haydn: Symphony No. 93 in D Major.

THIS CONCERT mainly featured items already reviewed (during the Ein Gev Festival) but one new item, Denisov's flute concerto, deserves detailed evaluation. Denisov (b. 1929) belongs to a small group of Soviet composers who defy official guidelines and regard themselves as members of the international community of contemporary composers.

The highly original concerto is a most valuable addition to the repertoire for flute, which until the 20th century was not considered music of profundity and significance. This changed with Debussy and the "new flute" discovered by modern composers. Denisov advances one step further, inventing remarkable things in terms of sound, tonal succession and relationship with the orchestra. He uses a great deal of continuous changes of pitch, actually a new kind of glissando; tempered tuning is replaced by gliding microtonal gamuts of oriental character. The orchestral part, too, is most unusual. Strange sound blots are created, moving with continuous changes of pitch, so that contrasts of instrumental colour are actually obliterated. While the first and fourth movements emanate tranquillity, flowing into a true *quasi niente* at the end, in the second and third movements, the flute part stands out in magnificent sharpness. Its lines are now shrieky, angular, pointilistic.

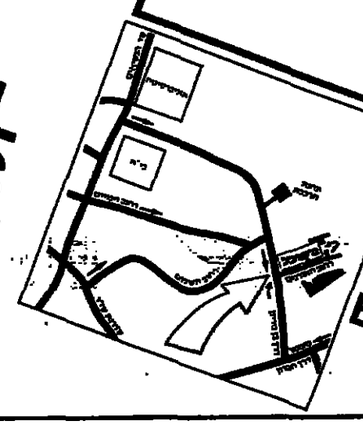
Aurele Nicolet approached the music with devotion and followed the composer through all the fascinating techniques and idioms of expression with total identification. His flute became a new instrument, which had little in common with what we thought it to be. Conductor Talmi handled the orchestral part in complete accord with the soloist. There was really only one conception. Talmi apparently has discovered a treasure, which he displayed with great subtlety, intelligence and consideration.

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Result of 12% drop in world oil prices

Petrochemicals may stop exports in row over input costs

By DAVID RUDGE
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Israel Petrochemicals will stop export production and cut its workforce by nearly half unless the Oil Refineries reduces the cost of ethylene in line with the 12 per cent drop in world oil prices, company chairman Joel Ostrowicz told reporters here yesterday.

He said the Bayside-based firm, which manufactures polyethylene for use in the rubber and plastics industries would be unable to compete on world markets if the Refineries continues to sell ethylene at present prices of between $475 and $500 per ton. He wants the price cut to a maximum of $440.

Ostrowicz said he will allow the government-controlled Refineries a week to reply to his demand, before putting his plans into effect.

"Unless there is a price reduction, we will have to stop exports and concentrate on the home market, which would mean cutting production from the present 8,000 tons per month to between 3,000 and 4,000 tons. This would result in the dismissal of up to 200 of our 450 workers," he said.

Ostrowicz said the factory is now at a standstill due to the closure of the Refineries ethylene plant for maintenance. The plant is due to reopen on May 10.

He said international ethylene producers were able to sell at $320 per ton, while the Refineries alleges that it cannot afford to operate below $500. In addition the government says it will no longer subsidize the ethylene production side.

"We went to the government and said that if the Refineries is losing money on the ethylene side and you don't want to subsidize it, then let us run the ethylene plant. We know we can make it profitable, not by putting up prices but by increasing production. Unfortunately we were not able to convince the economists in Jerusalem of this."

Ostrowicz said Israel Petrochemicals made a net profit last year of IS213,478,000. Total retained earnings were IS336 million, of which IS282m. was distributed in the form of bonus shares.

Production was up by nearly 35 per cent, from 48,000 tons in 1981 to almost 65,000 tons in 1982. More than half was sold for export. Net sales last year amounted to more than IS1.8 billion — the equivalent of about $76.m.

But the company had to cancel export orders worth a further $20m. which were won in spite of stiff competition and the recession, because the factory was not supplied with enough ethylene from the Refineries to run at full capacity. Ostrowicz said the company only got 65 per cent of its needs last year, the same as in 1981.



New York Mayor Edward Koch (centre) at City Hall with some of the 35 Israeli business leaders who visited the U.S. in connection with Israel Bonds "Operation Enterprise." Yossi Vardi, (at left) president of International Technologies and head of the delegation, presents the Israel Peace Medal to the Mayor while Yehuda Halevy, president of the Bond Organization, looks on.

$26 million in Bonds sold in 7-day blitz

By CAROL COOK
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — In just seven days in April, a group of Israeli industrialists and businessmen sold more than $26 million worth of State of Israel Bonds, in the course of an international sales campaign.

The project named "Operation Enterprise," brought together representatives of local banks, insurance companies, retailers, and high-technology industries, for a tour of the U.S., Canada, Britain, France and Latin America, lasting from April 10-16.

Several of the participants told the press they had found widespread interest in the Israeli economy and in investment possibilities here.

"Operation Enterprise" was conceived by the President of Israel Bonds, Tat-Aluf (res.) Yehuda Halevy. A similar project involving IDF officers, "Operation Maccabee," took place last December. The head of the "Enterprise" delegation was Yossi Vardi, President of International Technologies.

In 1982, Israel Bonds registered total sales of $502m., said Publicity Director Mel Fenson. Their peak year was 1973, with sales of $515m.

Dead Sea Works clinches $50m. deal

BEERSHEBA. — Arye Shahar, general manager of the Dead Sea Works, has announced that his company has just signed a long-term contract with the Mississippi Chemicals Company.

Under the terms of the contract the Dead Sea Works will sell the American company from 100,000 to 500,000 tons of potassium yearly, starting this July.

The potassium deal is expected to double the Dead Sea Works' profits this fiscal year (from $50 million to $100m.). The contract is scheduled to be renewed automatically over the next 25 years.

Soft-drink firms snub food fair

By YITZHAK OKED
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Israeli Food Exhibition, opening next Monday at the Trade Fairs Centre here, will not include exhibits from the country's large food industries.

Three soft-drink companies, Tempo, Coca-Cola and Tabori, have decided to boycott the fair, said Ya'acov Bar-Gera, the general director of the centre.

Bar-Gera admitted that he had a difficult time persuading local manufacturers to take part in the exhibition — the first ever to be aimed directly at the general public. Manufacturers claimed that their products are on display in shops and supermarkets every day, and do not need a special exhibition to promote them.

Nevertheless, Bar-Gera promised that at least 200 food companies will be taking part — all of them Israeli. No imported foods will be on display.

The organizers expect about 250,000 visitors during the five days of the fair.

Another first-time exhibition opens at the centre on Saturday, April 30. Sportcamp '83 is a prelude to the Hapoel Games, due to be held in the first week of May. On exhibition will be camping goods, sportswear and sports equipment.

Visitors to both exhibitions will be able to buy products at reduced prices.

Arnon joins Hapoalim

Michael Arnon, the former chairman of the Securities Authority, has joined the Bank Hapoalim group.

He will serve as chairman and member of the bank's board of subsidiaries of the bank in Israel and abroad.

In the first instance he will be appointed chairman of the board of management of the Israel Continental Bank.

Aron was president of Israel Bonds for six years and served as cabinet secretary from 1968-1974.

Exporters boycott Belgium, U.S. trade fairs

By MACABEE DEAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The country's industrial exporters — private, Histadrut and kibbutz — yesterday cancelled their participation in an international fair in Ghent, Belgium, and at the same time decided to make plans to persuade local consumers to buy "Blue-White" (Made in Israel) goods in preference to imported ones.

"The first step was taken as part of our ongoing protest against the government's failure to devalue the shekel in line with its real value — which has caused exports to fall by 24 per cent in March. The second is to step up the sale of our products on the local market in order to prevent a wave of unemployment from sweeping the country," a spokesman for the Manufacturers Association said.

The decision to boycott the Ghent Fair was taken by the Joint Actions Committee set up last week by the three industrial organizations in the country, the Manufacturers Association, Hevrat Ovdim and the Kibbutz Industries, plus the Farmers Federation and the (Histadrut's) Agriculture centre.

However, the Actions Committee did allow one group, the Israeli Industry Centre for R & D, a joint undertaking of the government and the productive sectors, to participate, since this centre had already invested considerable time and effort in the Ghent Fair.

Earlier in the week, the industrial exporters also decided to boycott a planned selling delegation to the U.S. sponsored by the Israel-U.S. Chamber of Commerce. Under present plans, the entire delegation, which will leave on April 29, will consist only of two members of the chamber.

Gideon Patt, Minister of Industry and Trade, is still planning to make the trip, a ministry spokesman said this week. Patt's visit had been arranged long in advance, added the spokesman, and the minister had only asked industrialists to accompany him in an effort to boost exports.

The spokesman said that the industrial exporters' decision was a disservice to their own cause, since many meetings had been arranged in the U.S. to further Israeli exports and their American counterparts "would not understand the decision to cancel for reasons of an internal dispute."

POLGAT AT 20. — As part of its 20th anniversary celebrations the Polgat enterprises at Kiryat Gat will give customers at all its stores a 10 per cent reduction during next week.

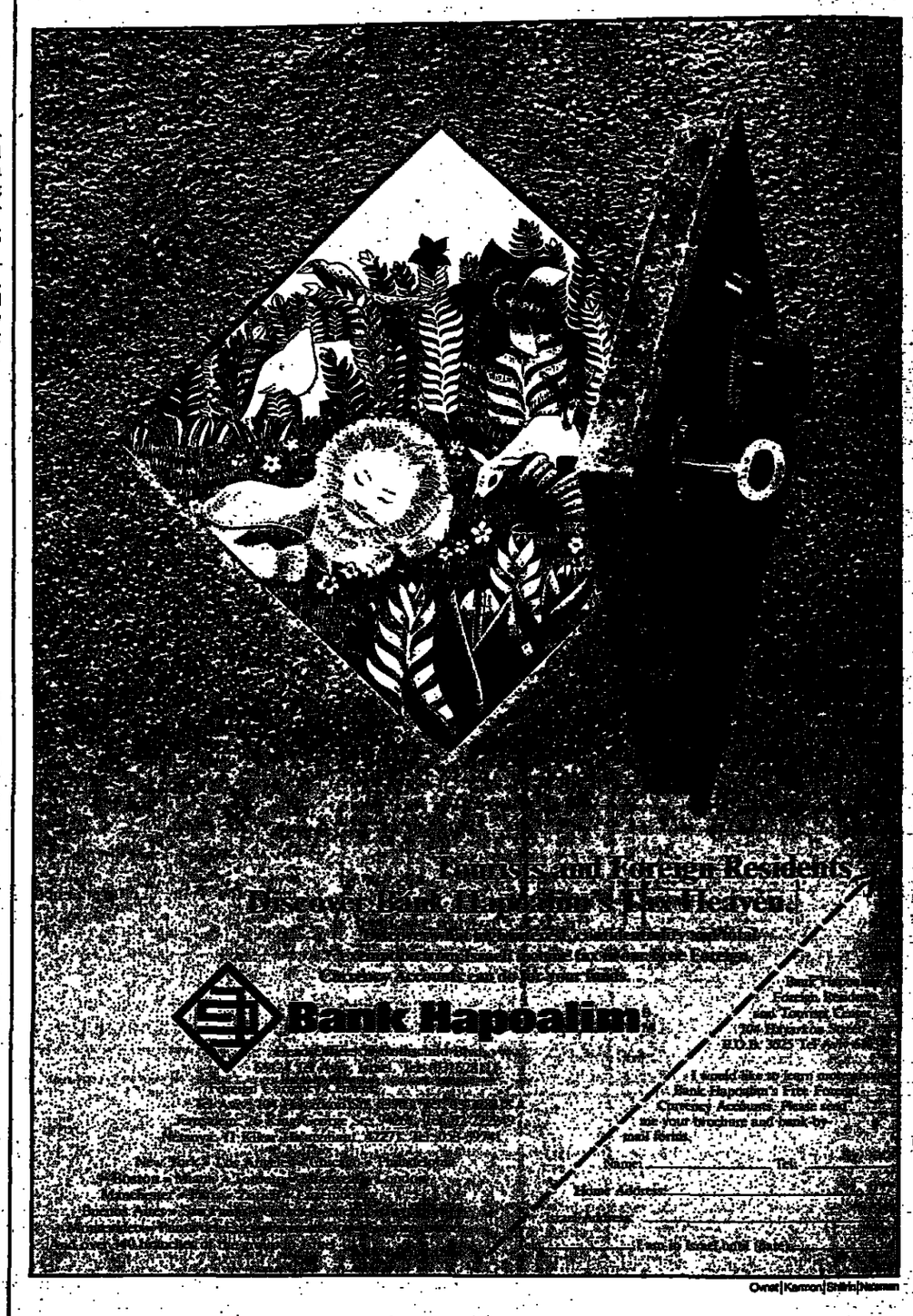
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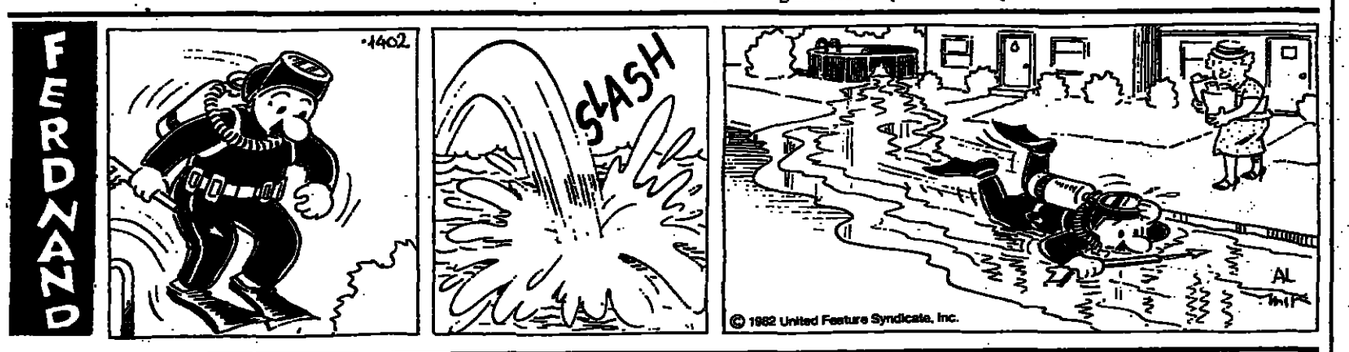
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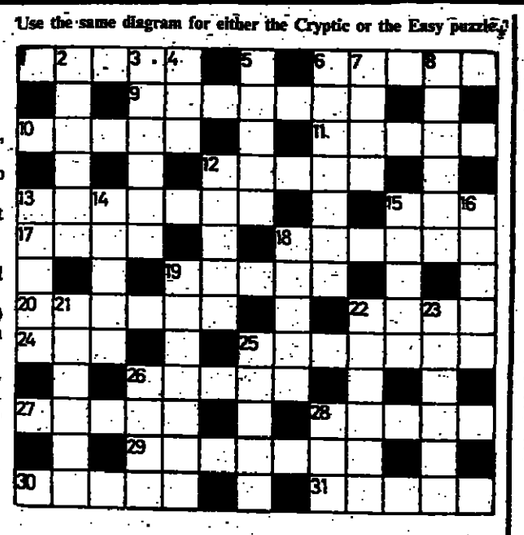
ACROSS

1 Chambermaid's character (5)
6 City to avoid (5)
9 Went round to trade, possibly (7)
10 It put flavour into macaroni, once (5)
11 Supplies in payment for some goods (5)
12 Garden shelter (5)
13 He has his fling in jug! (7)
15 A girl you can back (3)
17 Great European neighbour (4)
18 It's a bad cut, fellow, that's true (6)
19 Keep some torn posters (5)
20 Reading areas? (6)
22 Name for nothing but an organisation (4)
24 Still without a V (3)
25 Where chivalrous types turned up a great deal (7)
26 He breaks a nag for us (5)
27 Devil of a way to find out (5)
28 Meant to get change for a dime (5)
29 Lots of anaesthetics (7)
30 Bind parts back (5)
31 The ones here wrapped in a sheet (5)

DOWN

2 It preys and prays (6)
3 Some heroic achievement of Beethoven's (6)
4 He goes right over (3)
5 Territorial unit (5)
6 At best, attack! (7)
7 River said to have a smell (4)
8 She barely succeeded in making riding history (6)
12 Hits with a conductor's baton? (5)
13 Stick to glass (5)
14 A big man (and a tight 'un?) (5)
15 Reform Laura by sound method (5)
16 Give everybody a share of the pot (5)
18 Place in some embarrassment (5)
19 Sort of fight you can't get seats for (5-2)
21 Be contrary as a sister may (6)
22 Not *thoroughly* modern (6)
23 High-built bugs? (6)
25 Checks on horses (5)
26 She's out of circulation (4)
28 Painting including some warts (3)

Use the same diagram for either the Cryptic or the Easy puzzle.



ACROSS

1 Firework (5)
6 Presents (5)
9 Material (7)
10 Monster (5)
11 Cutlery item (5)
12 Has a meal (5)
13 Encourage (7)
15 Rainy (3)
17 Compulsion (4)
18 Useless (6)
19 Removes the skin (5)
20 Oil-carrying vessel (6)
22 Sour (4)
24 Artful (3)
25 Ever-youthful (7)
26 Attracts (5)
27 Villain (5)
28 Deadens (5)
29 Took for granted (7)
30 Detention rooms (5)
31 Uncanny (5)

DOWN

2 Arrow-case (6)
3 Disregard (6)
4 Piece (3)
5 Once more (5)
6 In vapour form (7)
7 Sprites (4)
8 Gardening tool (6)
12 Postpone (5)
13 Searches (5)
14 Intense pain (5)
15 Flinch (5)
16 Takes care of (5)
18 Whips (5)
19 Noble lady (7)
21 Recess (6)
22 Refer (6)
23 Map line (6)
25 Dreadful (5)
26 Twofold (4)
28 Freshly-made (3)

Yesterday's Cryptic Solution

ACROSS. — 4, Sheets. 7, (The Quiet) American. 8, AB-sent. 10, Staf-f. 13, Grey.. 14, Hal-O. 15, Poll. 16, Few. 17, Ciao(chow). 19, I'm-a-M. 21, Bulldozer. 23, Rusk. 24, Meet. 26, S-E.T. 27, Leer. 29, At-op. 32, Tern. 33, C-L-a-RA. 34, So-Ray-n. 35, S-t-urgeon. 36, Stance.

DOWN. — 1, Marsh. 2, Medal. 3, (plain)Tiff. 4, Snarl. 5, E-as-y. 6, Tandem. 9, Be-Lit-e. 11, Ta-X. 12, Focus. 13, Good men. 15, Pal(rev). 16, Far. 18, Ilkley. 20, (type)Metal. 27, But. 22, O'er. 23, Re-port. 25, To-R. 28, Erase. 30, TA-kes. 31, Paint. 32, Tarn. 33, Corn.

Yesterday's Easy Solution

ACROSS. — 4, Fathom. 7, Laughter. 8, Island. 10, Spend. 13, Mail. 14, Hide. 15, Mire. 16, Sty. 17, Amen. 19, Shoe. 21, Protested. 23, Pest. 24, Read. 26, Low. 27, Have. 29, Goad. 32, Mesa. 33, Sense. 34, Lepers. 35, Enormous. 36, Street.

DOWN. — 1, Flesh. 2, Mused. 3, Thud. 4, Friar. 5, Till. 6, Ornate. 9, Siesta. 11, Fit. 12, Neary. 13, Minerva. 15, Met. 16, Sod. 18, Mother. 20, Hedge. 21, Pew. 22, See. 23, Potent. 25, Was. 28, Asset. 30, Onion. 31, Dense. 32, Mete. 33, Sire.

Solutions to today's puzzle tomorrow

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Tel Aviv Museum. New Exhibitions: New Painting from Germany. New Painting (from Joshua Gessel Collection): Castelli, McLean, Paladino, A.R. Penck, Expedition to the Holy Land. **Continuing Exhibitions:** Helmar Lerski, Photographs 1910-1947. Michal Na'aman 1975-1983 (Helena Rubinstein Pavilion). Visiting Hours: Sat. 10-2. Sun.-Thur. 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Fri. closed.

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GIVE SOLDIERS LIFTS

Shares in surprise sell-off

TEL AVIV. — Most market observers were pessimistic after Tuesday's poor performance, but few expected the broad sell-off which took place yesterday. While the selling pressures were not very heavy, as evidenced by the turnover of under IS973 million, some observers were nevertheless reminded of the horrendous sessions during the January market slide.

Buying support appeared only after many issues had been marked down by 10% or more. The General Share Index, commercial banking shares excepted, dropped by a whopping 3%. Insurance company vice company issues were 4.17% down, and industrials were 3.26% lower. Oils fell by 4.21%.

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Sharply losing issues outpaced winners by more than 19 to 1. A full 23 securities were "sellers only" while only one managed to be "buyers only." In addition, 131 issues fell by more than 5%. Gainers of more than 5% totalled a meagre seven. Most groups of trading showed losses of up to 10%.

The index-linked bond market was largely unchanged, with turnovers of more than IS201m.

The commercial bank group was completely undeterred by the action of the rest of the market and showed minor gains. Union Bank posted a sparkling 5.8% gain. Israel Maritime Bank continued to gain

Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN

1.3%. But the shares of the Finance and Trade Bank were down by 5%.

The shares of the First International Bank, as well as those of Danot, did not trade as the banking institution announced its quarterly results. Mortgage bank issues were marginally lower. Only Adanim fell by 5%. Losses of up to 5% punctuated the specialized financial institution group.

Insurance stocks were hard hit by sellers. Securitas and Aryeh were set back by 10%. Hamishmar-Harel 5.0 was nearly 6% lower, but the attendant option was clobbered for 13.2%. Trade and service company issues were also among the major losers. Losses of 9% or more were chalked up by Galei Zohar 5.0, Delek (r), Hilan, Teta 1.0 and 5.0 and Malal. Consortium was "sellers only," but its option B suffered a shocking 20.3% loss.

Selling pressures were less pronounced in the land development and real estate group.

Industrials also absorbed heavy losses. Losers of 10% or more included Alumit, Ondine 5.0, Tadir Cement 1.0, Bar-Ton 1.0 Goldfrost 1.0, Gal Industries 5.0, Cables (r), Hamashlul 5.0, Man 1.0, Maxima 1.0 Ayit 5.0, Cyclone 5.0, Shemen and T.A.T. The Man option posted the largest one-session loss as it fell by not less than 22.5%.

Holders of investment company stocks had little reason for joy. Paz Investments (r) fell by 10%. Sahar Holdings, both the 1.0 and 5.0 shares were down by 10%, as the company reported poor earnings.

Losses of up to 10% were to be seen among oils.

The shekel was devalued by 8 agorot against the dollar.

The shares of the **Independence and Mortgage Bank** traded yesterday. The mortgage bank announced that its balance sheet total had shown a real growth of 33%. The net profit of IS31.5m. reflected a real gain of 41%. Net earnings per share of 237% reflected a real gain of 7%. The report was for three months, ending March 31, 1982.

Merva Mortgage and Savings Bank also reported quarterly earnings, which showed a 50% real growth in balance sheet total. Total assets were IS17.5 billion. Net profits stood at IS42.6m.

FUND RATES

20.4.83	Unit Price	Redemption Price
ADIF	*	*
ADIR	692.20	675.13
ALMOG	*	*
ALON	238.25	230.62
ANAT	175.51	169.15
ARMON	191.82	186.18
AVIV	1422.37	1394.08
AVUKA	679.07	666.05
AYAL	134.87	130.95
BARAK	198.46	192.21
BAREKET	372.46	361.06
BDOLACH	348.92	343.78
BROSH	223.84	217.26
CALANIT	*	*
CASPIT	334.47	327.98
DALIA	*	*
DAN	*	*
DANIT	*	*
DEKEL	186.65	183.85
DOLEV	203.46	196.65
DUVDEVAN	232.48	227.91
EPHRAT	111.06	108.08
EGOZ	191.89	186.94
EITAN	*	*
EREZ	*	*
ESHEL	194.54(1)	188.74(1)
ETROG	201.93	197.93
GALIT	425.05	416.05
GAVISH	573.65	555.37
GIL	2257.79	2191.30
GOREN	*	*
GUY	246.49	240.44
HADAS	1,276.71	1239.46
HALAMISH	334.52	324.75
IDAN	114.03	111.38
IDIT	1,092.15	1059.94
INBAR	410.44	395.54
KELA	1,263.37	1,244.01
KOCHAV	*	*
LAHAT	5,888.58	5715.22
LAMASHKIA	3,672.90	3,573.90
LAPID	278.08	269.88
LESHEM	316.75	307.42
MAGAL	*	*
MAOF	127.24	123.61
MARGALIT	4,189.02	4,065.34
MAROM	212.67	206.44
MATAH	723.69	699.33
MA'AYAN	451.94	438.75
MEIMAD	117.37	114.03
MIGVAN	807.02	793.18
MIKLAT	110.47	107.84
MIKSHA	328.15	318.49
MIVHAR	233.45	226.67
MIVTAH	450.35	442.80
MORAN	762.62	748.09
NATIF	343.17	333.08
NITZANIM	*	*
NOGA	699.24	682.01
ODRM	498.31	483.62
OPHIR	2,369.27	2,299.43
ORRN	256.16	248.66
ORION	200.21	194.05
OR-LI	494.47	483.64
PIA	2,008.24	1,946.66
PIROSH	*	*
RAREFET	*	*
RESHEF	*	*
RONIT	1,781.11	1,746.32
SAAR	*	*
SAPIR	312.41	307.84
SAVYON	*	*
SELA	338.72	328.76
SHAHAM	336.14	325.42
SHAKED	256.34	248.64
SHAMIR	1,478.72	1,435.28
SHAVIT	*	*
SHENHAV	797.54	778.42
SHESEK	587.66	567.57
SHIRA	1,002.07	973.69
TAPUZ	170.59	169.57
TARSHISH	446.81	433.72
TE'EINA	544.62	533.85
TIDHAR	200.10	197.07
TIROSH	401.00	392.14
TOPAZ	304.46	293.14
TZABAR	*	*
TZAMERET	630.64	612.22
TZAMID	382.71	369.85
TZMICHA	169.54	164.70
VERED	*	*
YAHALOM	366.59	355.88
YESODOT	1378.88	1371.74
YEVUL	*	*
ZEHAVIT	107.20	104.62
ZIV	397.62	388.02
ZOHAR	421.98	411.66

* Data not supplied (1) Ex dividend (2) Ex bonus (3) Ex dividend, ex bonus

First Int'l reports big gains

Post Finance Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The First International Bank, the country's only commercial bank to issue quarterly reports, announced yesterday that for the three months ending March 31, 1983 it had earned IS595 million. This compared with earnings for all of 1982 of IS905m. The operational profit stood at IS773m., compared with IS976m. for all of 1982. The board of directors announced its decision to pay shareholders 40% in bonus shares. The financial reports are unaudited.

The banking group also issued a comparison of earnings for the same quarter a year earlier, and this indicated a real growth of 348%. In U.S. currency, earnings for the quarter were $15m., compared with $27m. for all of 1982.

The balance sheet total, which stood at IS81.5 billion, reflected an 11% real gain when compared with the same period a year earlier.

The shares of the bank are trading on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange at a low multiple of six times earnings.

In the first quarter of the year the Meruv Mortgage and Savings Bank, a subsidiary of First International, purchased 50.5% of the share capital of the Independence Mortgage and Development Bank. The Bank now has some 15% of the country's mortgage banking. The sum of IS250m. was paid for the shares of the Independence Bank.

Dollar hits new record against franc

PARIS, (Reuter). — The dollar soared to a new high against the French franc yesterday as Finance Minister Jacques Delors renewed his accusation of U.S. irresponsibility towards European economies.

The U.S. currency was fixed at 7.3775 francs after opening at 7.3650. In later trading it moved even higher, being quoted at one stage at 7.3850 francs.

Dealers detected little or no Bank of France intervention to support the franc. They said they saw no new factors behind the dollar's continued strength, which they attributed to high U.S. interest rates and increased tension in the Middle East and Poland.

Delors told the French Senate on Tuesday that if the dollar remained so high, a new effort to adjust economic policy would be needed.

Only last month Delors introduced an austerity programme aimed at cutting France's nine per cent inflation and reducing its $12 billion trade deficit. Analysts were not sure what further action he could take at present.

Employment service opens in Jordan Valley

Jerusalem Post Reporter

MA'ALE EPHRAIM. — The first branch of the Labour Ministry's employment service to be established in the Jordan Valley was officially opened here yesterday by Minister of Labour and Social Affairs Aharon Uzan. The office will be run by Tova Hasson, a resident of the 250-family community which was founded five years ago.

Escorted by Mayor Israel Gilad, Uzan visited Glisstex, the town's largest factory, which with its 25 workers is the largest private employer in the Jordan Valley. Highly modern Glisstex, which opened a year ago, already produces 20 kilometres of extremely durable polyester chain per day, using a special technology developed in Italy.

$1 million body scanner

A new computerized whole body scanner costing $1 million, donated by Vera and Albert List of the U.S., was recently delivered to the Department of Radiology of the Hadassah-Hebrew University Medical Centre in Ein Karem.

The scanner, weighing two tons, was installed by crane through a hole which had to be broken in the wall of the centre.

A product of the Elscint Company, the scanner is the most sophisticated model yet produced — it enables radiologists to determine exactly what is happening in every part of a patient's body.

Hospital administrators hope the new machine will help reduce the current three-month waiting list for scanner examinations.

INCOME TAX. — A Nahariya resident was fined IS5,000 and given a three-month suspended jail sentence by the Haifa District Court yesterday for threatening to burn down the income tax offices in Acre.

TOURISTS ARE INVITED TO AN EVENING OF QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS on all aspects of living and banking in Israel.
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Bank of Israel Exchange rates

April 20, 1983	IS
U.S. dollar	41.1498
British sterling	64.0085
German mark	16.7446
French franc	5.5834
Dutch guilder	14.8770
Swiss franc	19.9147
Swedish krona	5.4866
Norwegian krone	5.7601
Danish krone	4.7162
Finnish mark	7.5650
Canadian dollar	33.2403
Australian dollar	35.7489
South African rand	37.6582
Belgian franc (10)	8.4026
Austrian schilling (10)	23.8246
Italian lire (1,000)	2.8115
Japanese yen (100)	17.3153
Jordanian dinar	113.9800
Lebanese pound	9.8700
Egyptian pound	37.4463

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FOREIGN CURRENCY
20.4.83
Yesterday's foreign exchange rates against the Israel Shekel, for U.S. dollar transactions under $3,000 and transactions of other currencies under the equivalent of $500.

	Selling	Buying
US$	41.3549	40.9451
DM	16.8212	16.6545
Swiss FR	20.0096	19.8089
Sterling	64.3193	63.6819
French FR	5.6082	5.5518
Dutch G	14.9404	14.7923
Austrian SH (10)	23.9785	23.7466
Swedish KR	5.5129	5.4582
Danish KR	4.7428	4.6958
Norwegian KR	5.7932	5.7358
Finnish MK	7.6146	7.5391
Canadian $	33.4113	33.0803
Rand	37.8480	37.4729
Australian $	35.9229	35.5669
Belgian Con (10)	8.4467	8.3629
Belgian Fin (10)	8.4011	8.3179
Yen (100)	17.4199	17.2473
Italian Lire (1000)	28.2479	27.9679

GOLD: $433/434/oz.

INTERBANK SPOT RATES:

US$	1.8526/36	per £
DM	2.4620/30	per $
Swiss FR	2.0840/50	per $
French FR	7.3530/50	per $
Italian Lire	1460.00/50	per $
Dutch G	2.7810/25	per $
Yen	237.15/30	per $
Danish KR	8.7180/7210	per $
Norwegian KR	7.1370/1400	per $
Swedish KR	7.5000/30	per $

FORWARD RATES:

	1 mon.	3 mon.	6 mon.
$/£	1.5699/522	1.5487/501	1.5470/456
DM/$	2.4422/437	2.4258/273	2.4005/026
Sw.FR/$	2.0548/583	2.0377/392	2.0110/136

Commercial Banks

	Closing price	Volume IS1,000	Change	% change
IDB p	69900	—	+400	+.6
IDB r	2806	1,183	+8	+.3
IDB B r	2825	103	+10	+.4
IDB p A	16950	—	n.c.	—
IDB op 11	2145	200	+70	+3.4
Union r	2830	1,212	+160	+5.8
Union op 4 r	10400	—	+10	+.1
Discount r	3631	223	+10	+.3
Discount A r	3631	255	+10	+.3
Discount op 2	2978	60	+50	+1.7
Discount B	418	116	+3	+.7
Mizrahi r	1152	3,577	+6	+.5
Mizrahi h	1162	79	+6	+.5
Mizrahi op 3	19370	—	n.c.	—
Mizrahi op 10	2060	16	+5	+.1
Mizrahi op 11	2040	67	n.c.	—
Mizrahi sc 6	9622	—	+1	—
Mizrahi op 7	no trading			
Mizrahi sc 9	400	139	+4	+.8
Maritime 0.1	1955	1,843	+25	+1.3
Maritime 0.5	825	2,923	+10	+1.2
Hapoalim p B	6300	2	—100	—1.6
Hapoalim r	4783	1,810	+28	+.6
Hapoalim b	4783	34	+28	+.6
Hapoalim op 7	16100	2	n.c.	—
Hapoalim op 13	3020	170	+110	+3.9
Hapoalim sc 6	10233	2	+21	+.2
Hapoalim sc 8	7160	—	n.c.	—
General A	4610	860	+30	+.7
General op b	23011	17	+10	—
General op 8	9773	14	+1138	+13.2
General sc 5	3150	22	—70	—2.2
General 7	210	271	+10	+5.0
Leumi	2468	3,799	+13	+.5
Leumi op 4	13190	2	+80	+.6
Leumi op 13	1920	475	+30	+2.1
Leumi sc 9	1672	4	+10	+.6
Leumi sc 11	458	103	+4	+.9
OHH r	4236	199	+30	+.7
Finance Trade 1	3815	64	—200	—5.0
Finance Trade 5	1930	29	—100	—4.9
Finance Tr. op	1580	24	—40	—2.5
N. American 1	1954	295	+13	+.7
N. American 5	1347	16	+9	+.7
Danot 1.0	no trading			
Danot 5.0	no trading			
Danot sc 2	no trading			
First Int'l 5	no trading			
FIBI	no trading			

Mortgage Banks

Adanim 0.1	1709	s.o.1	—90	—5.0
Gen Mortgage r	2910	209	+20	+.8
Gen Mortgage h	2910	9	+20	+.8
Carmel r	1470	92	+15	+1.0
Carmel op	765	132	+15	+2.0
Carmel deb	94	616	—2	—2.6
Binyan	1965	78	+2	+.1
Dev.Mortgage r	1190	534	—40	—3.3
Dev.Mortgage h	1245	—	—30	—2.4
Dev.Mort op	693	73	—20	—2.8
Mishkan r	6310	93	+70	+1.1
Mishkan b	6300	1	+60	+1.0
Independence	no trading			
Indep. op 1	no trading			
Tefahot p. f	3010	355	n.c.	—
Tefahot r	3110	1,008	n.c.	—
Tefahot b	3090	—	n.c.	—
Tefahot op A	4580	8	—150	—3.2
Tefahot op B	758	357	n.c.	—
Tefahot d 1.	206	1,583	—22	—9.7
Meruv r	no trading			

Financing Institution

Shilton r	301	353	—33	—9.9
Shilton op B	2429	1	+230	+10.5
Shilton sc 1	no trading			
Shilton sc 2	no trading			
Otzar Lat. r	1592	789	—20	—1.2
Otzar Lat. b	1569	135	—7	—.4
Contractors C.	300	44	—10	—3.2
Agriculture A	15480	s.o.1	—815	—5.0
Ind Dev p.r.	12967	s.o.1	—683	—5.0
Clal Lease 0.1	570	2	—14	—2.4
Clal Lease 0.5	242	154	n.c.	—
Clal Lease op B	404	—	—	—
Clal Lease sc 1	274	23	+5	+1.9

Insurance

Aryeh r	1408	265	—157	—10.0
Aryeh op	50438	3	—7962	—13.6
Aryeh op B	829	212	—22	—2.6
Aryeh sc 1	1665	—	—5.0	—.3
Ararat 0.1 r	1510	21	—41	—2.6
Ararat 0.5 r	690	62	—30	—4.2
Reinsur. 0.1 r	3550	2	+50	+1.4
Reinsur. 0.5 r	2335	33	n.c.	—
Reinsur. op 1	1900	11	n.c.	—
Hadar 1.0	895	15	—20	—2.2
Hadar 5.0	568	106	—40	—6.6
Hadar op 1	481	8	+1	+.2
Hassneh r	1748	s.o.1	—92	—5.0
Hassneh b	1929	s.o.1	—101	—5.0
Hassneh op 3	1300	201	—51	—3.8
Hassneh op 4	1136	119	—70	—5.8
Phoenix 0.1 r	3360	11	n.c.	—
Phoenix 0.5 r	2700	2	+15	+.6
Hamishmar	260	111	—5	—1.9
Hamishmar	175	535	—11	—5.9
Hamishmar op	165	167	—25	—13.2
Yardenia 0.1 r	1040	18	—80	—7.1
Yardenia 0.5 r	414	158	—35	—7.8
Yardenia op 2	231	58	—34	—12.8
Menora 1	2355	30	n.c.	—
Menora 5	1050	23	—51	—4.6
Sahar r	1570	46	—80	—4.9
Securitas r	731	274	—81	—10.0
Zur r	3325	6	—	—
Zur op 2	2850	9	—20	+.7
Zion Hold. 1.0	499	108	—15	—2.9
Zion Hold. 5.0	270	131	—2	—.7

Services & Utilities

Galei Zohar 1	388	194	+26	+7.2
Galei Zohar 5	142	228	—16	—10.1
Galei Zo. op 1	100	121	—6	—5.7
Data Mikun	440	30	+19	+4.5
Delek r	2664	174	—296	—10.00
Delek b	2700	2	—220	—7.5
Harel 1	370	125	—10	—2.6
Harel 5	215	51	+8	+3.9
Harel op 2	135	29	—	+.4
Lighterage 0.1	765	47	—17	—2.2
Lighterage 0.5	400	343	—4	—1.0
Cold Store 0.1	18100	—	n.c.	—
Cold Store 1.0	5600	5	n.c.	—
Israel Electric r	no trading			
Dan Hotels 1	454	213	—11	—2.4
Dan Hotels 5	312	353	—7	—2.2
Coral Beach	158	2,271	—3	—1.9
Coral B. op 1	102	55	—15	—12.8
Hilan	326	298	—36	—9.9
Hilan op	418	32	—42	—9.1

Land, Building,

Oren	371	225	+5	+1.4
Oren op 1	290	34	—1	—.1
Azorim Invest.	365	245	—4	—1.1
Azorim r	402	99	—20	—4.7
Azorim op C	1160	5	—45	—1.4
Azorim op D	955	2	—45	—4.5
Azorim op E	344	43	—15	—4.2
Africa Isr. 0.1	7042	224	—10	—.1
Africa Isr. 1.0	6160	43	n.c.	—
Africa op 2	4300	3	—130	—2.9
Azorim	355	177	n.c.	—
Azorim op	193	51	—17	—8.1
Arledan 0.1	320	43	—22	—6.4
Arledan 0.5	180	162	—15	—7.7
Arledan op A	501	17	—20	—3.8
Ben Yakar 1	1400	15	—50	—3.5
Ben Yakar op	1679	—	—1	—.1
Baranovitz 1	213	375	—12	—5.3
Baranovitz 5	124	188	—13	—9.5
Baranovitz op	115	111	n.c.	—
Dankner 1	220	371	—17	—7.2
Drucker 1	395	571	+1	+.3
Drucker 5	350	334	n.c.	—
Drucker op	172	193	—9	—5.0
Darad 0.1	314	30	—30	—8.7
Darad 0.5	180	113	—15	—7.7
Darad op 1	1220	1	+40	+3.4
Darad op 2	290	14	—20	—7.4
HLB 0.1	341	70	—19	—5.1
HLB 0.5 r	189	436	—2	—1.1
Property Bldg	2043	s.o.1	—107	—5.0
Bayside 0.1	1500	37	—70	—4.5
Bayside 0.5	1150	58	—50	—4.2
Bayside op B	2000	—	—	—
ILDL r	2368	838	—80	—3.3
ILDL b	2470	5	—10	—.4
ICP r	263	640	—23	—8.0
Ispro r	252	559	—28	—10.0
Isralom	350	69	—30	—7.9
Isras b	854	231	—15	—1.7
Isras op 1	590	83	—19	—3.1
Cohen Dev.	466	411	n.c.	—
Cohen Dev. op	380	109	n.c.	—
Lumir 1	256	122	—1	—.4
Lumir 5	131	142	n.c.	—
Lumir op 1	85	252	—2	—2.3
M.T.M. 1	2600	4	—100	—3.7
M.T.M. 5	1500	14	—100	—6.3
M.T.M. op 1	1300	—	—151	—10.4
Mehadrin r	3050	15	—30	—1.0
Modul Beton	2109	—	—111	—5.0
Mishnael 5	573	221	—64	—10.1
Mar-Lez 1	180	191	—2	—1.1
Mar-Lez op	130	62	—2	—1.5
Meshulam 1	462	88	—51	—9.9
Meshulam 5	256	47	+16	+6.7
Mesh. op 1	209	30	—8	—3.7
Litschitz 1	225	390	—8	—3.4
Litschitz 5	144	297	—8	—5.3
Litschitz op	109	283	—5	—4.4
Neot Aviv.	2320	49	+20	+.9
Nichsei Hadar	870	393	—30	—3.3
Solel Bon. p. A	8037	s.o.1	—423	—5
Sahaf 1	315	250	—10	—3.1
Sahaf 5	290	189	—2	—.7
Sahaf op	185	100	—4	—2.1
Pri Or	905	90	—50	—5.2
Pri Or op	868	8	—14	—1.6
Caesarea 0.1	361	111	—17	—4.5
Caesarea 0.5	118	694	n.c.	—
Rogovin 1	369	77	—23	—5.9
Rogovin 5	273	102	—2	—.7
Rogovin op	131	97	n.c.	—
Rasseo p. r	910	273	—100	—9.9
Rasseo r	915	709	—55	—5.7
Rasseo op	900	62	—20	—2.2
Shenhar 5	141	154	—9	—6.3

Industrials

Agan Chem.	569	282	—1	—.2
Agan op 1	349	94	—40	—10.3
Baruch 1	410	73	—18	—4.2
Baruch 5	300	75	—26	—8
Baruch op	220	16	—10	—4.4
Octagon	338	538	—10	—2.9
Octagon op	191	71	—5	—2.6
Urdan 0.1 r	1340	47	—60	—4.3
Urdan 0.5 r	869	99	—80	—8.4
Urdan op	707	31	—36	—4.9
Attas 1	499	298	—26	—5
Attas op	337	302	—9	—2.6
Atlantic 1	134	284	+4	+3.1
Atlantic op 1	82	97	+1	+1.2
I.P. Building	290	384	—28	—8.8
Elbit 3.0 r	16000	8	—600	—3.6
Elbit op	14600	1	n.c.	—
Alumit 1	414	114	—46	—10
Alumit 5	285	44	—25	—8.1
Alumit op	333	33	—10	—2.9
Alliance	87000	—	+2850	+3.4
Alaska Sport 1	685	1	—40	—5.5
Alaska Sport 5	360	5	—20	—5.3
Alaska S. op 1	390	4	—20	—4.9
Elco 0.1	1075	6	—24	—2.2
Elco 0'25 r	599	160	—4	—.7
Elco 0.25 b	850	4	—5	—.6
Eldo d 1	3200	—	—82	—2.5
Alkol	375	140	—15	—3.9
Alkol op 1	255	112	—17	—76.3
Electra 0.1 r	2460	31	—60	—2.4
Electra 0.5 r	1380	109	—20	—1.4
Electra op 3	2095	45	—290	—12.2
Electra op 4	925	105	—52	—5.3
Elron	25100	17	—900	—3.5
Ondine 1	314	s.o.1	—17	—5.1
Ondine 5	193	210	—26	—11.9
Ondine op	125	175	—19	—13.2
Ackerstein 1	436	170	—40	—8.4
Ackerstein 5	310	40	—11	—3.4
Argaman p.r.	760	19	n.c.	—
Argaman r	730	218	—10	—1.4
Ayal	2520	18	+25	+1
Ayal op	2275	4	+5	+.2
Ata B 1.0	295	s.o.1	—16	—5.1
Ata C 0.1	186	539	—2	—1.1
Tadir 1.0	1530	96	—170	—10
Tadir 5.0	525	8	—10	—1.9
Tadir op 1	2240	—	—	—
Bar-Ton 1	264	76	—29	—9.9
Bar-Ton 5	127	60	—11	—8
Bar-Ton op	97	159	—11	—10.6
Goldfrost 1.0	958	89	—75	—10.2
Goldfrost 5	215	146	—10	—4.4
Goldfrost op	163	28	n.c.	—
Gal Ind. 1.0	1930	267	—10	—5
Gal Ind 5.0	541	266	—60	—10
Gal Ind. op 1	880	2	n.c.	—
Galil Tech 1	235	502	—16	—6.4
Galil Tech op	130	331	—13	—8
Dubek p r	3450	28	—100	—2.8
Dubek p. b	3490	21	—150	—4.1
Delta Galil 1	412	275	—30	—6.8
Delta Galil 3	311	324	—12	—3.7
Delta Gal. op 2	384	169	—12	—3
Dafron 1	254	210	+23	+10
Dafron 5	138	254	n.c.	—
Dafron op	108	64	—17	—13.6
Dexter Chem.	240	317	—26	—9.8
Dexter op A	155	95	—9	—5.5
Fertilizer 0.1	855	13	—20	—2.3
Fertilizer 0.5	341	54	—9	—2.6
Cables r	900	42	—100	—10.0
Cables b	990	14	n.c.	—
Hamashlul 1	251	124	—10	—3.8
Hamashlul 5	157	152	—17	—10
Hamashlul op	225	128	—37	—14.1
Hatchot 1.0	400	45	n.c.	—
Hatchot 5.0	211	67	—24	—10.2
Hatchot op 1	495	11	—6	—1.2
Vitalgo 1	322	120	—26	—7.5
Vitalgo 5	259	314	+24	+10.2
Vardinon	380	357	—5	—1.3
Vardinon op	212	20	—16	—7
Zikit 1.0	1083	22	n.c.	—
Zikit 5.0	299	75	+9	+3.1
Zikit op A	118	89	—12	—9.2
Zol-Kal 1	307	167	n.c.	—
Zol-kal 5	280	100	n.c.	—
Zol-Kal op	137	118	+2	+1.5
Pri-Ze 1	328	377	—30	—8.4
Pri-Ze 5	192	130	—1	—.5
Pri-Ze op	156	30	+1	+.7
Haita Chemicals	2050	83	—100	—4.7
Hamisha Yod	308	361	+8	+2.7
Hamisha op	151	278	+1	+.7
Teva r	2040	151	—20	—1
Teva h	1945	7	—5	—.3
Teva dh 3	471	96	—15	—3.1
Tempo 1.0	455	99	+38	+9.1
Tempo 5.0	327	121	+2	+.6
Tempo op 1	300	—	+6	+2
Tempo op 2	182	47	n.c.	—
Tromasbest 1	1350	11	+20	+1.5
Tromasbest 5	960	8	n.c.	—
Trom. op 1	1550	1	—80	—4.9
Yach	710	112	+30	+4.4
Yach op	564	3	+27	+5.0
Yomar 1	1179	1	—1	—.1
Yomar 5	1290	7	n.c.	—
Yitzhar 1	256	s.o.1	—14	—5.2
Yitzhar 5	179	108	n.c.	—
Yitzhar op 1	121	63	—19	—13.6
ZionCables 1	3195	31	—320	—9.1
ZionCables 5	584	251	—45	—7.2
ZionCables op	309	20	—4	—1.3
Clal Electronics	1420	201	—60	—4.1
Lodzia 0.1	1701	—	—	—
Lodzia 0.4	696	107	—8	—1.1
Modul Ind.	347	s.o.1	—18	—4.9
Wolfman 1	1070	12	—60	—5.3
Wolfman 5	800	1	—50	—5.9
Molett B r	2550	4	n.c.	—
M.L.T. 1	245	s.o.1	—13	—5.0
M.L.T. 5	140	149	—8	—5.4
Glico 1	270	403	+9	+3.5
Glico op	146	53	—11	—7.0
Man 1.0	660	7	—86	—11.5
Man 5.0	390	85	+19	+5.1
Man op	124	205	—36	—22.5
Zika 1	576	s.o.1	—30	—5.0
Zika 5	485	23	—25	—4.9
Zika op 1	721	10	+20	+2.9
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Perfidy in Warsaw

WHEN THE ISRAELI delegation to the memorial ceremonies for the 40th anniversary of the Warsaw ghetto uprising protested last week against a plan to allow the PLO to participate by laying a wreath, the Polish government assured them that the plan would not be carried out. Now the Israeli delegation have every reason to believe they were deceived.

The viciousness of the PLO's act has been compounded by the indecency of the Poles. Whether the Poles had meant it that way from the start, or were frightened into it by the Russians, is unimportant.

It is obvious enough that the PLO's purpose was anything but to pay homage to the Jewish victims of Nazi genocide. According to the organization's own Warsaw representative, the intention was to establish the thesis that the victims of "today's Nazism" are the Palestinians. The Poles, who not so long ago voted to equate Zionism with racism, have thus lent their support to an even more libellous proposition.

At such a time it is proper to recall that the PLO's true founding-father was the Mufti of Jerusalem, Haj Amin al-Husseini, a friend and ally of Hitler's, who spent some of the war years in Berlin and applauded the Final Solution. His spiritual legacy has never been disavowed by the PLO.

For this reason it was only natural that the official representatives on the Israeli delegation should have cut their stay in Poland short, and refused to attend any more memorial ceremonies. They would have done even better to pack up and leave right after the offence had been perpetrated, as one of them in fact did. And the rest of the delegation should have followed suit.

Apparently not all delegation members felt that way. Stefan Grajek, the head of the World Federation of Jewish Fighters, Partisans and Camp Inmates, thought the PLO issue had been blown up by western newsmen under orders to embarrass the Polish authorities. This, however, is a most peculiar way of treating the PLO's cynical exploitation of the Holocaust and the perfidy of the Poles in helping them out, and it cannot be accepted.

The lesson for the future is plain. No official Israeli delegation should ever go to Poland again on any such mission unless and until it has received solemn assurances that its national sensibilities would not be grievously offended.

Med-Dead dying?

A BITTER ROW has developed between Yitzhak Moda'i, the energy minister, and Yoram Aridor, the finance minister, over the construction of the Mediterranean-Dead Sea Project. The two cabinet ministers were at loggerheads more than once before, but this issue has brought their disagreement to fever pitch. In simple terms, Mr. Moda'i thinks work on the project should be started, while Mr. Aridor believes it should not.

The disagreement has produced an unpleasant, and undefying, exchange of diatribe between the Likud duo.

Officials at the Treasury have charged Mr. Moda'i with muddle-headedness and ignorance, while the Energy Ministry has accused Mr. Aridor of converting funds earmarked for development to current expenditure. To prevent further bad publicity for his administration, Prime Minister Begin is reported to be planning a reconciliation between Mr. Aridor and Mr. Moda'i.

The question is whether the positions are reconcilable and, if not, which is the right and which the wrong one.

Mr. Moda'i, to give him his due, has in fact already conceded the justice of some of Mr. Aridor's arguments. Three months ago he let it be known that he did not contemplate a start any time soon on the full $1.3 billion project. Falling oil prices alone, he agreed, dictated a delay on the 800 megawatt hydro-electric power station that is a central feature of the canal project, accounting for the bulk of total cost.

What the energy minister nevertheless wanted was to go ahead with certain aspects of the scheme. For this purpose he would use the $100 million "seed money" raised by Israel Bonds.

However, the concession does not begin to satisfy Mr. Aridor. The project is, in a sense, his own baby, launched as it was some two years ago, with great fanfare, partly as an electioneering stunt. But Mr. Aridor has been persuaded by his officials that it cannot any longer be viewed as financially viable, and that no funds should be apportioned to it. Certainly not at a time when the country is called upon to shoulder the giant burden of building the Lavi fighter plane.

Few objective analysts would, on this point, fault Mr. Aridor's judgement.

To be sure, there are some other reasons, too, for a freeze — reasons of ecology, and of politics (the project is to start at the Gaza Strip and to end up in a sea shared by Israel and Jordan). But the strictly economic rationale is sufficient to warrant putting the entire project on "hold."

Those bonds buyers who were led to believe that they were making an historic contribution to Israel's liberation from dependence on foreign sources of energy, might feel disappointed. But they would be likely to feel positively betrayed if they learned that the only contribution they made was to speeding up Israeli inflation.

One argument in Mr. Moda'i's favour is that fuel prices may shoot up again, in a few years' time, and that Israel would then have lost valuable time in which to prepare for the worst. But the argument is as irrefutable as it is unprovable.

Challenge for Labour

By MISHA LOUVISH

ALTHOUGH THE election of Chaim Herzog to the presidency was a striking personal defeat for the prime minister and a sign of the coalition's weakness, it did not, in itself, presage a government collapse. Menachem Begin has swallowed the bitter pill like a man, and every effort will no doubt be made to shore up the crumbling walls of his administration.

Nevertheless, it was a notable achievement for the Labour alliance, which has shown discipline, self-restraint and parliamentary skill. Recently Labour frustrated last-minute efforts to amend the Chief Rabbinate Law, and blocked Agudat Yisrael's attempt to amend the Law of Return to outlaw Reform and Conservative conversions.

It is absurd, therefore, to repeat the tired old clichés about Labour's "disarray," which can be applied much more aptly to the coalition, racked as it is by mutual suspicion and distrust, and to the National Religious Party, which is reeling under the impact of Rabbi Haim Druckman's defection.

In the light of these developments, the Labour Movement should now — almost two years after the elections — begin to prepare in earnest for the struggle to win the hearts and minds of the people at the next national trial of strength. November's municipal elections will call for a massive organizational effort, but there should be no delay in planning Labour's long-term strategy for the coming Knesset polls.

SEVERAL RED herrings should first be disposed of. It is still not impossible that an alternative government, under Labour leadership, might be formed in the present Knesset. This would be perfectly legitimate according to all the principles of parliamentary democracy. (It is generally forgotten that the Likud did not actually win the last election; it practically tied with the Alignment, but was propelled into power by the NRP and the Aguda.)

There is no sense, however, in marking time, in the hope that half-a-dozen of the government's supporters will see the folly of their ways and put an end to Likud misrule; it is much better to act on the more likely premise that they will hang on desperately to Begin's coat-tails, despite all his blunders.

A more dangerous concept — which could lead the movement to virtual extinction — is the idea of joining up with the Likud in a so-called "national unity government." This is a popular idea — everyone wants national unity — but there is no basis for it in the present state of our national affairs.

A national government, or a broad coalition, is justified only when there is general agreement on the burning issues to be decided in the immediate or near future. Such an occasion arose in June 1967, when all parties agreed on the need to meet the imminent threat; but the second national unity government, formed by Golda Meir in December 1969, broke up as soon as a decision had to be taken on peace policy.

THERE ARE serious current differences of opinion between the Likud and Labour, not only on the war in Lebanon and its aftermath, but also on the continuation of the peace process. This is the fundamental issue of national policy at this time.

On the one side, the Likud is committed to the annexation of the entire territory occupied by Israel in repelling the Arab aggression of 1967 — not merely as a matter of tactics, or even military strategy, but as a basic principle of national ideology. It matters little in what phraseology this policy is couched; it means, as Rafi Eitan, the prime minister's adviser on terrorism, blurted out, another century of conflict.

Labour, on the other side, is committed to an effort to achieve peace with the Arab world — including what Begin at Camp David recognized as "the Palestinian people," on the basis of their "legitimate rights" (also recognized at Camp David) — by the re-establishment of a Jordanian-Palestinian state, comprising Jordan and most of Judea and Samaria. This would exist side by side with an Israel that will really be a Jewish state, and not a bi-national Jewish-Arab state.

THESE ARE two fundamentally different conceptions of our national future. It is not merely a matter of the positions to be taken up by Israeli negotiators if and when Jordan's King Hussein agrees to join in peace talks: the government of Israel ought to be doing all in its power, in cooperation with the United States and other friendly nations, to bring him to the conference table.

Instead, the Likud government is taking highly effective and practical measures, by filling Judea and Samaria with so many Jewish settlements, to show Hussein that there will be nothing left to talk about.

If Herut and Labour are to be partners in the same government, there is no escaping a momentous choice: either Herut must give up, or at least suspend, execution of the central plank in its ideology, or Labour must become, at best, a passive accomplice in a deliberate and energetic effort to make a dead-letter of one of its basic principles.

The question, therefore, is not whether Begin wants a national unity government or not, but whether there is any possibility of common ground between the Likud and Labour on the most urgent and fateful issue of the day.

NO ONE IS impressed by coy Labour statements meant to put the onus for the non-formation of a national unity government on Begin: they only sow discord within the movement and strengthen the feeling among the public that Labour leaders would go to any lengths to get their feet under the cabinet table.

Nor is it worth wasting breath on the preposterous notion that, by joining such a government, Labour would win renewed legitimization from the masses who have turned their backs on the party. It would only drive the last nail into its coffin, while acknowledging Begin as the natural leader of the nation.

It is high time, therefore, that Labour leader Shimon Peres stopped talking as if he would come running any time Begin wagged his little finger, and concentrated instead on explaining Labour's policies to the electorate, without pandering to chauvinist prejudices by raising the irrelevant issue of the right of Jews to settle anywhere in the Land of Israel.

The issue is not abstract or academic rights, but the wisdom of a policy that will make Israel a friendless, fortress state racked by an incurable internal conflict with a hostile and indigestible national minority supported by powerful external forces.

WHILE RECENT polls have indicated that public opinion on the principle of giving up territory in return for peace is fairly balanced, many of our people are still oblivious of the dangers involved in Herut's annexationist policies and are afraid to take risks for peace.

A generation of conflict, imposed on Israel by Arab intransigence, has intensified anti-Arab passions among large sections of our people. Kach's Meir Kahane is unlikely to win a seat in the Knesset, but he expresses — in revolting terms — feelings that have taken deep root among wide circles.

My Hebrew teacher, the late Nathan Morris, once said, many years ago, that a people like the Jews, which has suffered so much, could never tyrannize a national minority in a Jewish state.

But Ze'ev Jabotinsky, Herut's patron saint, scoffed at such notions in his early essay "Homo Homini Lupus" ("Man is a Wolf to Man"). "Only in the Scriptures," he said, "is it written 'Also thou shalt not oppress a stranger: for ye know the heart of a stranger, seeing ye were strangers in the land of Egypt.' In the morality of our days, there is no longer any room for such childish humanism."

Jabotinsky was referring in 1910 to nations in general, and he spoke somewhat differently in later years, but the lapse of time has shown, alas, that many of our people have discarded the lesson of the verse he quoted. All too frequently we hear the sufferings of the Jews in an indifferent world cited as justification for indifference to the human and national rights of our own minorities.

These emotions are reinforced by the fatalistic assumption that, whatever we do, Arab hostility will always persist, the world will always be against us, and we shall always have to live by the sword. They spill over into denunciation of all who work for peace through conciliation and compromise, as at best *yefei nefesh* — "bleeding hearts" — and, at worst, traitors.

These attitudes cannot be combated by appeasement, by playing down the humanism that is fundamental to the democratic socialist outlook or by "me-tooism". Labour has no need to prove its patriotism, which has been demonstrated in three generations of building and defending the Jewish state.

WHAT LABOUR needs is not only vigorous and persistent propaganda to expose the blunders and inadequacies of Begin and his government, but a patient, far-sighted educational effort to explain its fundamental principles in domestic and external affairs. There is no way round this problem; the only way is forward.

The masses who have turned their backs on Labour cannot be won back by pandering to their prejudices; the chauvinistic right will always be able to play that game better than a moderate, left-of-centre party like Labour, which founds its case on reason and realism. There would be no sense in trying to recruit mindless crowds to yell: "Peres, Peres!" "Rabin, Rabin!" or "Navon, Navon!"

Labour must concentrate on explaining to the people that it is they and their sons who have to pay the price for Herut's militaristic adventures, and that our only hope lies in a realistic policy which may — and there can be no guarantees — lead the country out of the blind alley into which the Likud has led us. It is an uphill task, but there is no alternative.

The same applies to the advocacy of Labour's economic and social policies. One of the most effective sneers that keynoted the Likud's election campaign in 1981 was that Labour hardly even mentioned the word "socialism" in its appeals. Labour cannot cover up its identity as a socialist party — and it must not try. But it will have to re-define its socialist principles in practical and up-to-date terms in the light of the age-old Jewish aspirations for social justice, the achievements of constructive socialism in this country, and Israel's needs as a still-developing country that cannot abandon its citizens to the tender mercies of competitive capitalism.

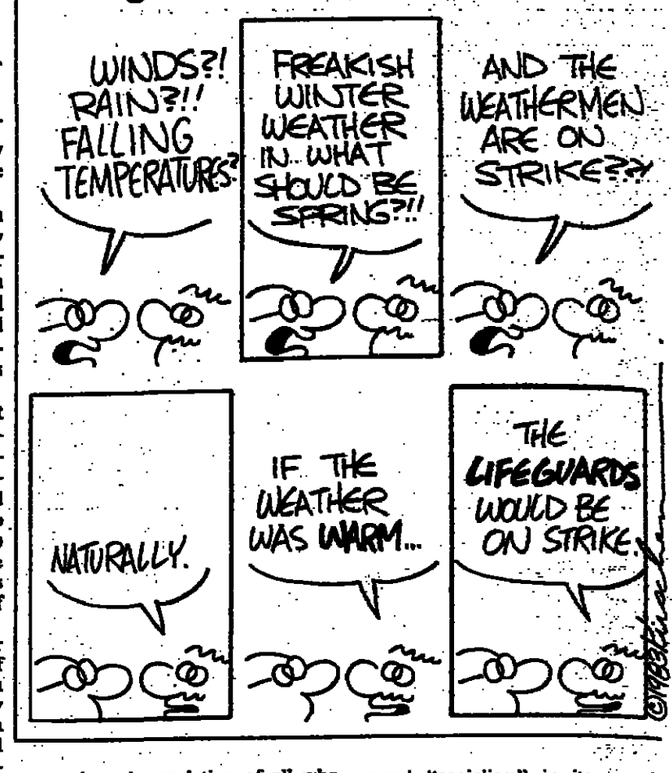
THE TIME to start is now. In the coming session of the Knesset, Labour should go over to the offensive: the Likud should no longer be allowed to play the game of blaming its failures on the conditions they inherited from their predecessors. Labour's leaders should stop mincing words and trying to play the part of senior statesmen or impartial commentators. All the protests should not be left to the Peace Now activists.

Organizational preparations should be made in the next few months for a countrywide propaganda and recruiting campaign, based on a clear and simple statement of principles, after the municipal polls. The culmination should be a party convention which will concentrate attention on Labour's message and elect a new leadership.

There is no reason why Labour should cooperate in holding premature polls, before its preparations are complete, at a time that would suit the Likud. Even if the Knesset completes its statutory term, it is not too early to initiate the democratic processes that could enable the Labour movement to regain its place as the central element in a new government — one that might extricate the country from the mess in which six years of Herut domination have buried it.

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READERS' LETTERS

BUILDING PERMITS IN HAIFA

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I refer to your article of March 28, "Haifa retracts suspension order," and wish to make the following points.

The Deputy Mayor of Haifa, Zvi Zimmerman, who is chairman of the Haifa Town Planning Committee, was not present at the committee meeting when it discussed and decided to grant Dr. Simha Milo's request to make an addition to his house at Noga Street in Haifa, as he was out of the country at that time.

After Dr. Milo's request was approved by the planning authorities, but before the permit was issued, the committee received a document from Mr. Moshe Scheinwald who claimed that, as one of the owners of the flat over the Milo flat, his consent, which had not been given, was necessary prior to the issuance of a building permit.

As usual in such cases, the neighbour's objection was sent to our legal department for its opinion, which was that in cases of cooperative buildings, the consent of all flat owners was required in order to issue a building permit, which could not be granted if one of them objected.

Therefore, Dr. Milo was told to stop building until he received the missing signature. Dr. Milo disregarded the order. Consequently, the Inspector of Buildings asked the court for a suspension order, which is the usual procedure in such cases.

In view of the remarks of the judge, the municipality agreed to withdraw the building suspension order, but issued a statement to the effect that while it did not believe it should continue to oppose the request to withdraw the suspension order, it maintained its position that a building permit in a cooperative building could only be granted with the approval of all flat owners and that the present instance did not constitute a precedent.

In issuing his decision to cancel the suspension order, the judge stated that there was no more need to call Mr. Zimmerman as a witness, since the matter was closed. The judge's decision was given prior to the date on which Mr. Zimmerman was to testify.

Mr. Zimmerman acted all along in his capacity as chairman of the Planning Commission and was not involved either in the original decision, or in the suspension order, or in its cancellation.

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Haifa.

THE TEMPLE MOUNT

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I have been reading, with a great deal of apprehension, the various articles you have published about the disputes concerning the status of the Temple Mont. I see in this issue a potential for bloodshed and disaster unless the matter is defused in time.

If reason can prevail, then the site should be treated in the same manner that Turkey has treated the church-mosque of Sophia, namely by declaring it a holy and historical site open to all. Excavations should be conducted to uncover whatever remains of the Temple, which will enhance the sanctity and historical value of the Mount.

NAIM S. MAHLAB.
Montreal.

ISRAELIS ABROAD

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — Last summer, many of us who travelled abroad found ourselves being asked questions about Israel in both informal and formal settings. The questions were not always easy to answer.

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